

LOWELL CHARTER REPORTED

Allies Invade Germany, Occupying Three Cities

ADVANCE ON FOCH'S ORDER

Seizure of Cities as Penalty for Germany's Failure to Meet Reparation Demands

French and British Warships Co-operate—Prepared for Eventualities

FRENCH MILITARY HEADQUARTERS, MAYENCE, Germany, March 5. (By the Associated Press.)—Occupation of the additional German territory which the allies had announced they would take possession of as one of the penalties for Germany's failure to meet the allied reparation demands was carried out today.

No untoward incident marked the eastward move of the allied troops, far as reports up to a late hour showed.

The occupation of the city of Dusseldorf, the largest of the cities taken over by the allies, was completed this morning and that of Duisburg and Ruhrort, comprising together the chief port of the Ruhr coal and industrial region, was effected in a way to obviate so far as possible a show of force, but the French and British Rhine flotillas were prepared for eventualities.

The troops moved forward both afoot, in columns, and on board French and British river craft.

The Belgian troops entered Dusseldorf by way of the bridge over the Rhine. The French and British proceeded by way of the Cologne bridgehead, marching along the east bank of the Rhine and entering the city from the south and east.

Duisburg was occupied by French and Belgian troops, while possession of Ruhrort was taken by the allied Rhine flotilla.

The headquarters of Gen. Degoutte, who as commander-in-chief of the French forces along the Rhine carried out the orders of Marshal Foch for the advance, are situated at Neuss, on the west bank of the Rhine opposite Dusseldorf.

At Dusseldorf the inhabitants were warned in a proclamation by the allies against taking a provocative attitude toward the allied forces.

Gen. Degoutte issued a proclamation to the people of Dusseldorf in which he declared the occupation was not a measure of hostility against the population, but one intended to compel the government of Germany to carry out its obligations. No obstacle would be raised against the carrying on of the economic life of the region, he declared, and the allied authorities were ready to aid the workers in improving their condition, especially as regarded provisioning.

Ambassador Called Home

PARIS, March 5.—Dr. Wilhelm Mayer, German ambassador to France has been called to Berlin to get in touch with his government.

According to a delegation from London the entire German delegation to the reparations conference leaves for Berlin at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

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More Than 800 Chinese Believed To Have Been Drowned In Wreck

HONG KONG, March 7.—(By the Associated Press.)—More than 800 Chinese are believed to have been drowned in the wreck of the steamer Hong Moh on Lamock Island, off the port of Swatow, Wangtung province, on March 3, news of which was received here today. The steamer, which is a British vessel of 3900 tons owned in Singapore, carried 1100 Chinese on her present trip and only 248 of these have been reported as rescued.

Hundreds Killed In Bombardment Of Moscow—100,000 On Strike

LONDON, Mar. 8.—(By The Associated Press.)—During a recent bombardment of the workmen's quarters in Moscow from artillery placed on the hills overlooking the city says a Central News despatch from Helsingfors today, several hundred persons were killed and numbers of others wounded. More than 100,000 men and women, the despatch asserts, are now on strike in Moscow.

PROTEST RETURN TO 10-HOUR DAY

Packers Announce Wage Reductions and Longer Hours for 100,000 Employees

"Looking for a Strike and They'll Get One," Says Union Officer

CHICAGO, March 5.—A declaration that "the packers are looking for a strike and there is no doubt that they will get one if they insist on their proposal to return to the old ten hour day," was made today by Dennis Lane, secretary of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workers' union, when informed of wage reductions and longer working hours announced by the packers for their 100,000 employees.

He said that if it really was necessary for the packers to reduce wages in order to do business, the employees would be "willing to come half way in any proposition that was made in a fair and just way." He said he believed that the packers would "roll in a strike."

"We have found that they have stored vast quantities of their products, and that they could shut down for some time without any real loss," he said. "This particularly is true of hides, which are cited in the wage reduction announced."

"Packers control the leather market. They have purposely run down the price of hides and their reference to leather prices is ludicrous."

In addition to a wage conference of employees in Omaha tomorrow meetings in all cities where there are packing house branches are being arranged and a demonstration is planned here for next Sunday when 30,000 employees are expected to take part in a parade and mass meeting.

Mr. Lane said that the statement of the packers that overtime would be paid only after ten hours' work a day or 54 hours a week meant a return to the ten hour day.

"It means that the workers are subject to ten hours' work a day at the regular rate of pay and with no extra overtime pay," he said. "The men will never stand for this attempt to force them back to the old working hours."

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GERMANY UNABLE TO USE FORCE

Pres. Ebert in Proclamation Makes Vigorous Protest Against Allies' Action

Declares "Right Is Being Downtrodden By Might"—Germany Defenseless

BERLIN, March 8.—(By the Associated Press.)—Friedrich Ebert, the German imperial president, declared in a proclamation issued today that Germany was not in a position to use force to oppose the forcible methods of the allies in occupying additional German territory, but that she nevertheless protested vigorously against what he declared was an open violation of the treaty of peace.

The proclamation follows: "Fellow citizens: Our opponents in the world war imposed upon us unheard of demands, both in money and kind, impossible of fulfillment. Not only ourselves, but our children and grandchildren, would have become the work-slaves of our adversaries by our signature. We were called upon to

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FIVE KILLED IN IRISH BATTLES

Crown Forces and Sinn Fein Detachments Clash in Southern Ireland

Several Engagements Reported—Two Hours' Battle at Mullinohoo

DUBLIN, March 8.—Five persons were shot and killed in engagements between Crown forces and Sinn Fein detachments in southern Ireland last night. A motor lorry was ambushed near Bellinroe, and Capt. Claffield and two privates were wounded. The lorry was engaged in an hour's fight with Sinn Fein at Mullinohoo, County Tipperary, three civilians being killed and twenty captured. One man was killed at Toome, County Cork.

A police sergeant was shot and killed at Kilmallock, County Limerick, by five men and the military forces retaliated by blowing up a store near where the attack took place.

LONDON, March 8.—Preparations are in progress for the erection of a chain of military blockhouses to indicate the new boundaries of the Ulster area in Ireland under the new home rule act, says a Belfast despatch to the Evening Star.

The government surveys have commenced in Clones, in North Monaghan county near the Fermanagh border, the despatch adds. Six are being marked for a number of new stations for 20,000 thousand troops in the six county area. The stations will be two miles apart.

FIRST MEETING OF PRES. HARDING'S CABINET

WASHINGTON, March 8.—President Harding had his first meeting today with his cabinet. Vice President Coolidge attended at the president's invitation and it was understood that foreign affairs as well as domestic policies were discussed.

The meeting was held in the executive offices and all members were on hand promptly at 11 a. m. The first business was that of taking the first photograph of the cabinet.

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New Charter Unanimously Reported to the Legislature by the Committee on Cities

SHOT GIRL AND KILLED HIMSELF

Bodies of N. Y. Manager and Stenographer Found in Central Park

Both Shot Through Head—Revolver Found Nearby—Girl Engaged to Another

NEW YORK, March 8.—Shot through the head, the bodies of Willis McCurdy, 35, a manager for the American Surety company, and Alice K. Snowden, 25, a stenographer in his office, were found early today in Central park, near a bridge opposite 74th street. A revolver lay nearby.

Belief that McCurdy shot the girl and then killed himself was expressed by the police. They said that Miss Snowden had been engaged to another employee of the company. McCurdy was married and lived in Astoria, L. I.

BLAMED FOR WRECK

Three Held Responsible for Trolley Collision in Which 10 Were Killed

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 8.—Coroner Phelan in a finding today held three men criminally responsible for the trolley collision at South Shelton Feb. 22, in which ten persons were killed. Those charged with responsibility were Milton Cheshire, motorist, who lost his life; George Hobbs, conductor, and Probate Judge S. T. Palmer, who was taking home a five gallon can of gasoline when the crash occurred. The cans of gasoline on the front platform exploded after the crash.

CHOQUETTE SENTENCED

Collinsville Man Gets Three Months for Larceny From Sick Woman

A three months' house of correction sentence was imposed today in the police court, on Traffic Choquette of Collinsville, charged with larceny of \$40 from Mrs. P. H. French of the same locality. He appeared and was held in bonds of \$200 for the superior court. The defendant's wife was over-coming while on the witness stand, and again broke down when sentence was pronounced. All parties to the case are neighbors. Mrs. French, the first to take the stand, told of being very ill last October. As she feared that she was dying of heart trouble, she said, she despatched Choquette to the telegraph office to get in touch with her brother in Canada. She alleged that he returned and told her it was "all right," whereupon she gave him \$40 to take to the brother and enable him to come to Collinsville. He accepted the cash from her, she said.

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WILL PUT FINISHING TOUCH TO BUDGET

The municipal council will put the finishing touch on the 1921 budget tomorrow morning, when it will meet to pass the formal order directing the assessors to raise by taxation sufficient funds to finance the various municipal departments for the current year.

The budget was completed a week ago as far as its amount is concerned, but it had to be advertised before it could be formally adopted. The required seven days have elapsed and the council will meet at 11 tomorrow, to complete its work.

There are indications that the session will not be a thoroughly harmonious affair, inasmuch as Mayor Perry D. Thompson has expressed his intention of opposing the budget in its present form. The mayor voted against several individual items when the budget was being discussed and he has indicated that he will oppose the budget as a whole when he is opposed to certain portions of it.

He feels that it is yet opportunity to make further cuts.

There will probably be a few minor changes in the budget, before final action is taken, one of them being the inclusion of an appropriation for the observance of Memorial Day in the local post of the American Legion.

TO TAKE UP RESEARCH WORK

Municipal Council Favors Trip West by City's Bacteriologist

Three More Protests Against Proposed Slaughter House Are Received

In order to bring the city's bacteriological department up to the standard of such departments in the largest cities of the country, the municipal council, at its meeting this morning, voted to authorize Mayor Perry D. Thompson to expend \$100 from the health department appropriation to help defray the expenses of Dr. James V. Ludger, city bacteriologist, in research work in the west.

The results of this research are considered so important by health authorities that two local hospitals have expressed their willingness to contribute \$100 each to help defray Dr. Ludger's expenses, and the doctor himself will meet whatever financial obligations the trip embraces over and above \$300.

The city's bacteriological department is considered one of the main-springs of the local health department and it is felt by officials of the department, that research work such as that in which Dr. Ludger is to engage will be invaluable in its beneficial results to the community.

Three more protests against the granting of a license for the establishment of a slaughter house on the site of the former Harvard brewery were registered with the council this morning and were placed on file together with others which have previously been presented.

The opponents to the project who made their sentiments known by letter today were Mrs. Carrie M. Putnam and 16 other signers. Rev. P. E. Nordgren and 29 members of the Swedish Lutheran church, and a number of members of the First Primitive Methodist church. Their reason for opposition to each case was alleged objectionable features which would result from the establishment of such a plant on the site.

The session of the council was one

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SOON TO NAME DAVIS' SUCCESSOR

LONDON, March 8.—John W. Davis, the retiring American ambassador to Great Britain has received a cordial letter from President Harding announcing that he will comply with Mr. Davis' request that a new ambassador be appointed as soon as possible, as Mr. Davis may return to the United States.

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For Ratification of Colombian Treaty

WASHINGTON, March 8.—A special message to the senate requesting immediate ratification of the Colombian treaty is being prepared by the president, according to reports among senators today in the wake of last night's White House conference.

Secretary Of Navy Denby To Go To Sea

WASHINGTON, Mar. 8.—Secretary Denby intends to be a "sea-going" head of the naval establishment. He announced today that he planned to go to Guantanamo, Cuba, winter base of the Atlantic fleet and return with the fleet early in April if his duties permitted. He said he intended to go to sea whenever possible and to become thoroughly familiar with the administration of the fleets.

Steamer Aground In Boston Harbor

BOSTON, March 8.—The Ocean Line steamer City of Columbia with 39 passengers and a general cargo from Savannah ran aground on Lovell's Island in the inner harbor here early today. She went on bow first in a dense fog but her stern was seen to be in deep water when the fog lifted and it was expected to float her at high tide. Five tugs were sent to the aid of the City of Columbia immediately her plight was discovered, and the crew of the Stony Beach coast guard station also offered their aid. The water in the inner harbor was fairly smooth and it was not thought that those aboard would be greatly alarmed.

QUESTION NOW UP TO VOTERS

Special Election to Decide Issue Will Be Held In October

Believed That Strongest Opposition to Charter Will Radiate From City Hall

The proposed new charter for Lowell, formulated by a commission authorized by act of the legislature and appointed by Mayor Perry D. Thompson, was reported to the house of representatives and the senate by the joint committee on cities today. The report was unanimously in favor of its approval. This action usually means that the legislature will vote for the submission of the document for approval or disapproval to the voters of the city, at a special election to be held on the third Tuesday in October, 1921. Approval or disapproval of the charter will probably be the only question on the ballot.

That there will be strong opposition to the approval of the ballot has already developed. Naturally, all of the commissioners at city hall and the heads of departments are strongly opposed to the new document. The only exception to this rule is Mayor Perry D. Thompson, but he is not saying much about the new charter. The charter, as originally submitted by the commission, has been changed in a number of minor details to any action by the city council. Under the amended document, all of these officials are appointed by the mayor subject to confirmation by the council. Their removal is subject to the same rule.

Since the removal of the superintendent of police at the will of the mayor was originally reported in the charter to the committee, considerable pressure has been brought to bear to retain Superintendent Welch under some form of civil service protection. In the reported bill he cannot be removed until after three years' tenure of office. This would make any change of the office secure in his position during the term of office of the mayor who appointed him.

Since the hearings by the committee began, there has been an undoubted growth of sentiment in favor of the adoption of the new charter. The strongest opposition to its approval, it is believed, will radiate from city hall.

NEW YORK CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, March 8.—Exchanges \$515,805,822; balances \$52,900,392.

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Turk Nationalist Forces in Batum

LONDON, March 8.—Turkish nationalist forces have occupied Batum, says a Reuter's despatch from Constantinople.

Recent despatches have indicated that Russian Bolshevik forces in the Caucasus region were attempting to reach Batum before the Turkish nationalists occupied the city. Batum is the chief avenue of supply for Armenia and it has been declared that if the city should be in control of the nationalists, Russian occupation of Armenia would be impossible.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

CHARLIE CHAPLIN

Charlie Chaplin has hit the high spot in his career in his first attempt at a feature length picture, "The Kid," which opened engagements at four of Lowell's theatres yesterday, the Merrimack Square, Keith's, the Strand and the Rialto.

A majority of the spectators who saw the opening performance of this big production of the noted filmmaker were of the opinion that it is easily the best thing that Chaplin has yet done. In the first place, it simply bubbles over with laughter and the situations are so human that you do not feel foolish because you are laughing. Again, it is long enough to provide an entire afternoon or evening's entertainment in itself.

Had someone told us before we saw "The Kid" that we could be convinced that the comedian could interpret a character so human as that which he portrays in his present production, we would have been inclined to doubt. But several times during the course of "The Kid" the comedian made us swallow a lump in our throat and we real tears of sympathy from our eyes by the pathos of his acting. But the greater part of the production is given over to laughter—roars of laughter such as any Chaplin picture should be.

As a comedy, the production is a winner; as a dramatic production it ranks high, but the strongest appeal of these six reels of joy is the fact that they bring to the spectator the realization that Charlie Chaplin is not a clown, but one of the consummate actors on the screen today.

"The Kid" has been booked for three days at the Merrimack Square, Rialto and Strand, but will be shown during the entire week at Keith's.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Merit feature program of rare merit opened a three days' engagement in the Merrimack square theatre yesterday afternoon and brought forth unstinted commendation from the large number of screen lovers who

TRoubles ENDED

SAYS RICHARDSON

Lowell Man Restored to Health by Taking Tanlac

"For the sake of others who may be suffering from the after effects of influenza, I am glad to relate my experience with Tanlac," said Leon N. Richardson, 239 Methuen st., Lowell, a well known veteran of the world war.

"In the winter of 1918, I had a bad spell of 'flu' which kept me in a hospital for eight weeks, and when I finally came out I was mighty badly run-down. I never wanted to eat, and what little I did eat disagreed with me. I had shooting pains in my sides and shoulders and a constant hurting in my back. I was worn-out and felt so bad I was of no use to myself or anybody else.

"But a number of my friends were taking Tanlac and bragging of it so I finally decided to try it myself. Well, sir, I have been eating like a wolf ever since I started taking it, and gaining in weight and strength until now I feel as well as I ever did in my life, and haven't an ache or a pain of any kind. Nothing is left of my troubles now but the memory of them, and Tanlac will always get a good word from me."

Tanlac is sold in Lowell by Green's Drug Store, under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative; by Wright Drug Co., Billerica, Mass.; Snow's Pharmacy, Concord, Mass.; and by the leading druggist in every town.—Adv.

There are three headliners on the Strand theatre bill for the first three days of the week, "The Kid," Charlie Chaplin's latest creation, "Passion Fruit," a pleasing drama showing beautiful scenes in the Hawaiian Islands, and last but not the least, "Carmel Myers" in "Beautifully Trimmed," a play that everyone will like. So attractive is this program that standing room was found at a premium at yesterday's performance. In addition to the plays mentioned there is also an instructive and interesting series of current events from other parts of the world, as well as very enjoyable musical numbers supplied by Miss Elsie Robbins, the theatre organist. Of course "The Kid" is the super number of the program, but none the less enjoyable is "Passion Fruit" in which the star, Uralandia, is given a grand opportunity to reveal her talent as a great actress and dancer. It unfolds the story of the daughter of a rich planter in the Hawaiian Islands, who is being courted by the manager of the plantation, a third cousin, despite her efforts to drive him away from her side. In an endeavor to win him back the manager even

goes so far as to murder the girl's father. Then he becomes boss of the estate, which position he holds until another young man appears on the scene. What happens after his arrival is worth the price of admission.

"Carmel Myers" in "Beautifully Trimmed" is seen in the role of one of the principals in a group of witty crooks who manages to fool the wealthiest of boys in a stupor to be. Privately known as Daddy's housekeeper, was motherly and satisfied the idea of what such a character should be. The other part was in competent hands.

Record-breaking crowds were on hand at all performances at the Rialto theatre yesterday afternoon and evening when Charlie Chaplin, noted filmmaker, opened a three days' engagement in his latest vehicle, "The Kid." The best Chaplin feature yet produced was the consensus of opinion of those who saw the production. The Rialto has also booked an excellent surrounding show for the first half of the week. The opening of the celebrated serial by Edgar Rice Burroughs, "The Son of Tarzan," brought thrills to the spectators. The story has to do with Jack, the son of Tarzan of the Apes, who inherits his father's love for the jungle. Through an extraordinary chain of circumstances, Jack is taken to the jungle and comes to him easily. He battles with lions and great apes and there is no one in the forest greater than he. A romantic touch is given the tale when he rescues Merlen, a beautiful girl, from a half-savage Arab. Later he discovers that she is a princess.

There are many number of thrilling experiences portrayed in "The Son of Tarzan" and without exaggeration it may be said that the entire production is a series of thrills from beginning to end. Gordon Griffith, plays the title role in the picture and although he is but 12 years of age he has all the ability and artistic polish of a much older performer. The supporting cast is excellent. The program at the Rialto also carries a western melodrama, "Law of the Border," a comedy and the Fox News.

The popular glowworm is a beetle. Adv.

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Sporting News and Newsy Sports

VICTORY FOR GOLD BUGS EXPECT DUFFYS TO PUT UP A FAST BOUT

Defeated Hartford in Whirlwind Game, 8 to 5—To Play at Lowell Tonight

PROVIDENCE, March 8.—Although Providence won over Hartford here last night, 8 to 5, the visitors uncorked a rally near the final stage and with a quartet of registers had the Gold Bugs on the run—but the bell intervened and victory triumphantly perched upon the local standard. Hartford, among other things, had three or four in and out shots and though their first curtain drive did not come until the last of the second frame, the Senators played a much better and faster game than the score indicates. It was a whirlwind of a finish and the final bell was undoubtedly welcome to the visitors. The visitors were caged in less than six minutes. The score:

PROVIDENCE	HARTFORD
K. Williams, 1r.....	Dr. Lewis
Thompson, 2r.....	Dr. Evans
Murhead, 3r.....	Harold
Lyons, 4r.....	Conley
Conley, 5r.....	Huefner

Summary—Score: Providence 8, Hartford 5. Runners: Williams 3, Lyons 2, Conley 4, Huefner 3. Goals: Williams 5, Thompson 3, Evans 4, Lewis 1. Fouls: Harold Huefner. Referee: Deveron.

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS
Providence 8, Hartford 5.

GAMES TONIGHT
Providence at Lowell.
Fall River at Hartford.
Worcester at New Bedford.

POLO NOTES

Kid Williams, the league's leading goal getter, will try tonight to increase his total.

Cusick and Quigley will keep their eyes on the flashy kid, while Bount will also be on the alert to kick out the wicked drives of the star sharpshooter.

While centering their attention on Williams, the Lowell defense men will also have to keep close tabs on Thompson. The latter is a very dangerous driver and only a few weeks ago, played a big part in defeating Lowell here. On that occasion Williams was protected from scoring a goal, but Thompson managed to land enough in the nets to bring victory to Providence.

And while the rushers are attacking from all angles up in front, Big Sox Lyons, Archie Murhead and Missie Conley are capable of doing good work on the defensive operations.

On their last visit to Lowell Providence won out, but Capt. Harbison and his men are out to bring home the bacon tonight.

LOWELL DRIVING CLUB MEETING

A special meeting of the Lowell Driving club will be held this evening at 8 o'clock, at the club's headquarters in Middlesex street. The business of the meeting will include discussion of plans for the big fair to be held in September. It is quite a little gallop from here to September, but the club has determined to make this event the greatest of its kind in the history of the city, and in order that no stone will be left unturned, an early start is being made. The club has been assured of hearty co-operation on all sides and the club slogan, appearing on the notice of tonight's meeting as sent out by Secretary Arnold J. Ryan, is "Let's go to it!"

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Providence vs. Lowell
CRESCENT RINK TONIGHTWrestling Carnival
Legion Hall, Dutton St.
GARDINI vs. HASSAN
FRIDAY EVE., MARCH 11, 1921
Admission 50c and 75cLEGIONERS TO HOLD
WRESTLING CARNIVAL

The Lowell post, American legion, will present a wrestling carnival in Legion hall, Dutton street, on Friday night. Four bouts are on the card, and all look like fine mat battles. The main attraction of the evening will be a bout between Renato Gardini, the Italian champion, who has been a sensation in Boston recently, and Al Hassan, the Turkish wonder. Gardini only recently put up a whirlwind bout against Strangler Lewis in the club. He is recognized as one of the leading heavyweights in the country and in bringing him to Lowell the legioners have made a ten-strike.

GERMAN TEAM LEADS
IN SIX DAY RACE

NEW YORK, March 8.—The German team, Walter Burt and Willie Burt, led with 635 miles and four laps at the end of the 32nd hour in the spring six day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden. The record for this hour is 705 miles and one lap made by Lawson and Root in 1918. Seven teams were a lap behind with three other teams trailing another lap back.

GOLF TOURNAMENT

Thomas F. Kelly, of the Long Meadow Golf Club is representing Lowell at Pinehurst.

Thomas F. Kelly, of the Long Meadow club, this city, is representing Lowell at the spring golf tournament in Pinehurst, N. C. and has disposed of the round in 101.

NEW RED SOX ARRIVE
BOSTON, March 8.—A revised edition of the Boston Red Sox today had its first practice of the season at Hot Springs, Ark., where the club arrived yesterday for its spring training. According to word received here today, Herb Thormahlen and catcher "Mud" Ruel, the battery acquired from the New York Americans in a recent trade, as well as John Quinn and Harry Leopold whom the Red Sox obtained from the Chicago White Sox in exchange for Harry Hooper, will don the Red stockings for the first time today.

NEALE A "HOLDOUT"
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 8.—With his team-mates on the Philadelphia Nationals en route to Florida, Earle "Greasy" Neale, outfielder, recently acquired by Philadelphia from the Cincinnati Reds, remained here as a holdout. He stated that there was \$3000 difference between the salary offered him and what he felt was his worth. He would not play professional baseball unless his demands were met. Yesterday he signed a contract to coach the Washington and Jefferson football team next year.

DETROIT, Mich., March 8.—The training camp of the Detroit Americans in San Antonio, now includes 25 of the 31 players on the club's roster, according to dispatches received here. The absentees are Al Smith, Leonard Veach, Jones and Shorten. They are expected to report by tomorrow. Manager Cobb has put the men through only the lightest of practice following his theory that they should play top form at the beginning of the season, rather than in training camp.

SEWELL BIG ATTRACTION
CLEVELAND, O., March 8.—Joe Sewell, the University of Alabama shortstop, who joined the Cleveland Indians, is the center of attraction in Dallas, according to advices received from the spring training camp today.

It was Sewell in batting practice, meeting the ball squarely and sending many long smashes to the outfield.

BRAYES' BATTERY MEN WORKOUT
BOSTON, March 8.—Battery men of the Boston National league baseball team had their first workout of the season yesterday at the club's training camp at Galveston, Tex. With the arrival of Dick Rudolph today 14 pitchers and three catchers will be at the camp and the roster will be full.

FOOTBALL PRACTICE
BERKELEY, Calif., March 8.—Sixty men participated yesterday in the opening spring football practice at the University of California.

A. F. OF L. BREAKS WITH
I. F. OF TRADES UNIONS
WASHINGTON, March 8.—Notice of the severance of relations between the American Federation of Labor and the International Federation of Trades unions was despatched today to the International headquarters at Amsterdam. The action of the American Federation, taken at a meeting of the executive council, followed the adoption by the international organization of resolutions in support of the soviet regime in Russia.



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CITY OF LOWELL
Notice is hereby given as required by section 27, chapter 648, of the acts of 1911, the City Charter, that an ordinance has been passed in Municipal Council, as follows:
"To borrow the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000) for the purpose of acquiring land for the construction of school houses and for the construction of the construction of school houses, and appropriating the same."
By order of the Municipal Council,
STEPHEN FLYNN, Clerk
March 8, 1921.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Committees Appointed at
Monthly Meeting of Board
of Directors

The board of directors of the Lowell chamber of commerce held its monthly meeting yesterday and transacted considerable business. On the recommendation of Secretary-Manager Wells, the following committees were appointed:

Committee on streets—George Howells, chairman; L. J. Bartel, W. E. Dauby, George A. Hill, Frank P. Cheney, Roy F. Lovejoy, Royal P. White, George Dana, Charles Marren and James Reilly.

Committee on education and Americanization—C. M. Weed, chairman; E. C. Jolley, E. A. Ramsey, Albert Bergeron and Mrs. E. R. Carey.

Committee on mercantile affairs—E. J. Gilmore, chairman; Allen Fraser, Edward W. Freeman, L. Isabel McCurdy, William L. Wood and Gardner Macartney.

Committee on motor vehicle problems—Henry A. Smith, chairman; Daniel Shanahan, F. E. Kinnah, Alvan Weaver and James P. Fleming.

Committee on fire protection—Fred C. Church, chairman; Arthur Spaulding, John Robinson, Tyler Stevens, Edward F. Saunders, John F. Salomon and Charles B. Garmon.

The following report showing that the membership of the chamber has not dropped any with the exception of a few members, who have died, left the city or gone out of business, was presented by the secretary, the report being based on the membership at the close of the year Jan. 31, 1921:

Total membership at close of campaign, January, 1920—1147.
Members added during the first year—46.
Total—1213.

Lost during first year, by death—6.
Lost during first year, by left city or out of business—12.
Total—18.

Total Feb. 1, 1921—1195.
Of this number 1074 had paid their dues in full for the first year and 119 were delinquent in part or all of their first year's dues. Collections for the first year amounted to \$173.75 per cent of the total possible revenue.

Approximately 50 per cent of the total membership have already paid their second year's dues, the first bills having been mailed early in February.

The treasurer's and auditor's reports were read and adopted and a report dealing with sanitary and general working conditions of slaughter houses in other communities was submitted and discussed. President Chaffetz was authorized to appoint a national councilor to represent the chamber at the annual meeting of the United States chamber of commerce, which will be held at Atlantic City next April. The councilor will be appointed at a later date.

A communication was received from Local 135, International Association of Machinists, requesting the chamber to urge the state department, congress and federal reserve board at Washington to take steps to lift the commercial blockade on trade with Russia and re-establish trade relations with that country.

TWO TRACK WALKERS
KILLED ON BRIDGE

PANTUCKET, R. I., March 8.—Two track walkers were killed on the so-called Tin bridge here today by the Colonial express. One of the men was Argus Marques, of Attleboro. The body of the other has not been identified. A third man also trapped on the bridge, Abilio Borves of Attleboro, was injured.

RETIRED ARMY
OFFICER A SUICIDE

NEW YORK, March 8.—Col. Eugene E. Van C. Lucas, a retired United States army officer, was found in a West Side rooming house today with a bullet wound in his head. He died before a physician arrived. A pistol was at his side. His health had been poor recently.

NEW FIREHOUSE

The new bungalow type firehouse, which is to be located at the junction of Pine and Stevens streets, will be completed and ready for occupancy by July 1. Commissioner John F. Salomon, head of the fire department, has been assured. Percy F. Gilbert, the architect whose design for the new building has been accepted by Commissioner Salomon and the city, has completed work on the plans and contractors will be asked to submit bids in the near future. The work will be done under two contracts, one of a general nature and the other for the plumbing and heating.

Many Rumors of Overthrow

Continued
end of soviet rule. He feels, however, that the present movement may be premature and easily suppressed. He is positive an outbreak on an enormous scale will follow. It is his opinion that the peasant will eventually win over the majority of the soviet army, with the possible exception of General Budenny and will lead to the replacement of Lenin and Trotsky by a peasant government. He believes the new regime will possibly establish a republic, but more probably some peasant leader may be proclaimed czar of Russia.

Kerensky at Kronstadt
COPENHAGEN, Mar. 8.—Alexander Kerensky, premier of the Russian provisional government, which was returned to the Bolsheviks late in 1917, is said in advices received here to be at Kronstadt, the Russian fortress near Petrograd, which is reported in revolutionary hands. Kerensky, it is declared, is directing the revolutionary offensive against Petrograd, with that fortress as a base.

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To Take Up Research Work

Continued
of protests generally for the United Leather Workers' union, No. 2, made known their opposition to any wage reduction for city employees at the present time. This protest was signed by Harry L. O'Hara, secretary of the union. It was ordered filed.

Commissioner Marchand of the public property department asked permission to borrow \$20,000 for schoolhouse repairs, but the council ordered the city clerk to advertise the loan order before action is taken.

The meeting was called at 10:07 by Mayor Thompson.

Commissioner Murphy was absent, being confined to his home with a sore throat.

John F. Brady was appointed a surveyor of lumber.

The annual report of Warren P. Riordan, city sealer, was accepted and placed on file.

A communication from the secretary of the United Leather Workers' union, No. 2, Harry L. O'Hara, expressed opposition to any wage reduction for city employees at the present time. The letter was ordered placed on file.

Facking Plant Protests
The mayor then read several protests against the granting of a license for the establishment of a slaughterhouse and stockyard on the site of the former Harvard brewery.

The first protest was signed by Mrs. Carrie M. Putnam and 15 others. The second came from Rev. P. E. Nordgren, pastor, and 20 members of the Swedish Lutheran church. They wished to protest "emphatically," according to their communication.

The third protest was from members of the First Primitive Methodist church. This protest made mention of the fact that the residents of that general section of the city had borne the disagreeable features of Hale's brook for many years. They felt that the establishment of a slaughterhouse would merely aggravate such conditions.

All three protests were filed, together with other protests of the same nature.

A petition from Wilbur Sawyer, asking for a sidewalk of edge stones in Dracut street between White street and Fourth avenue was granted and the order adopted.

The following petitions were referred to Commissioner Murphy: 7. J. W. W. et al, that Fairgrove ave be macadamized.
Petition from 20 residents of Cascade avenue that that thoroughfare be macadamized.
The following petitions from the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. were referred for hearing, Mar. 22. One pole in March street, two poles in Cross street, one pole in West Sixth street and one pole in Pleasant street between 31 and 33.

matter had been investigated by the city collector and that he has ruled that the legion is entitled to receive an appropriation of this nature. No action was taken on the matter, but the appropriation will undoubtedly be made at tomorrow's meeting of the council when final action on the budget is taken.

For Research Work
The mayor asked permission of the council to expend not more than \$100 of the health department appropriation as a part defrayal of the expenses of Dr. James Y. Rodger, city bacteriologist, for a trip to Chicago, Rochester, Minn., and Cincinnati, for the purpose of conducting research work. The mayor said that the work will be of invaluable aid in the city and that two local hospitals have expressed their willingness to contribute \$100 each to cover part of the expenses of the trip. The cost will be much more than \$300 but Dr. Rodger is willing to stand the extra cost himself owing to the knowledge which he will gain from the study. The council granted the mayor permission to expend the sum requested.

Notice of an action of tort against the city brought by Claudia Boulanger in the sum of \$500 and returnable the second Saturday in April before the justice of the local police court was read by the mayor and it was voted to refer the matter to the law department.

An order to borrow \$20,000 for school house purposes was introduced by Commissioner Marchand and it was sent to the city clerk to be advertised before action is taken.

Just before the council adjourned Mayor Thompson, speaking on behalf of the members of the council, tendered an informal welcome to C. E. Gallagher of the Sun staff upon his return to his duties after a brief illness.

Adjourned at 10:10 to Wednesday, at 11 a. m.

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Arriving Tonight, Fresh From the Sea
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Flesh Flounders 8c	FRESH EASTERN CAUGHT Halibut, lb. ... 35c
LABRADOR Herring, lb. 8c	FRESH SHORE HADDOCK, lb. 8c
SMOKED Herring, 20c Doz.,	Cleaned Salmon, 12 1-2c
Sardines, 10c Can	PINK Oysters, qt. 35c
In Olive Oil	Fresh Opened
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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton.

"PLANNING A NEW ADVENTURE"



"HELLO, DEAR CHILDREN," SHE NODDED, SMILINGLY.

"We're glad to see you!" cried the twins.

"That's fine! And I'm glad to see you, too, kiddies," answered the Magic Mushroom.

Nancy and Nick had discovered him a moment before, near them in the Meadow, and he had told them that the circus animals had escaped.

"Now I shall go back to Fairyland," said he. "When the Fairy Queen will send someone to look up the missing creatures. They ought to be practicing tricks all this time, and we can't find any too soon."

"Goodbye, now, children, I must be going," and the Mushroom started to sink into the ground, like a mole burrowing his way to safety, only backwards. There was really nothing left of him but his little bowler hat, which suddenly Nick cried out, "Oh, please wait a minute, Mr. Mushroom. Won't you ask the Fairy Queen if Nancy and I may go and search, too?"

The Mushroom popped up again. In fact, he came all the way out of the ground and waved his arms excitedly. (He had arms and legs, being magical.)

"Why, my dears, I suppose you may. But it's most unusual for children to be hunting lions and tigers."

"Please," begged both twins eagerly. "The Mushroom ran to the hole in the ground through which he had first come. Then here are the Green Shoes," he said. "Slip 'em on and I'll take you to the Fairy Queen. She will likely send Mr. Pippety-Flop with you, as I shall have my hands full with the crazy March hares and the other creatures here who need to be looked after."

The children slipped on the magic shoes and in a trice were standing before the Fairy Queen.

"Hello, dear children," she nodded, smiling.

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Germany Unable to Use Force

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seal a contract which even the work of a generation would not have sufficed to carry out.

"Our opponents in the world war imposed upon us an unheard of demand, impossible of fulfillment, both for money and for a contract which even the work of a generation would not have sufficed to carry out."

"We must not and we cannot comply with it. Our honor and self-respect forbid it."

"With an open breach of the peace treaty of Versailles, our opponents are advancing to the occupation of more German territory."

"We, however, are not in a position to oppose force with force. We are defenseless."

"Nevertheless we can cry out, so all who still recognize the voice of righteousness may hear."

"Right is being downtrodden by might."

"The whole German people is suffering with those of our citizens who are forced to suffer foreign domination. With firm hands must this sorrow unite us in one sentiment, one will."

"Fellow citizens, meet this foreign domination with pride and dignity. Maintain an upright demeanor. Do not allow yourselves to be driven into committing ill-considered acts. Be patient and have faith."

"The imperial government will not rest until the foreign power yields before our right."

Members of the cabinet viewed the situation with a show of resignation, and declared nothing would be said or done until the effect of the entire invasion had been demonstrated practically.

Germany's coal deliveries to the allies may be affected by the present situation. Although entire troops may seize important coal shipping points, they will have to go still farther into the interior of the Ruhr district in order to secure effective control of coal production.

French on East of Rhine

PARIS, March 8.—A strip of land from 5 to 10 miles deep on the eastern side of the Rhine will be occupied by French forces as a result of Germany's refusal to accept the Paris indemnity plan, says a telegram to the Journal from Mayence. Gen. Dagoutte, commander in chief of French forces along the Rhine is in charge of the operation. He has headquarters at Noues, a town four miles west of Dusseldorf and on the west bank of the Rhine. The first French contingent to be advanced was the 77th division, which has been quartered at Bonn and is under the command of Gen. Gaucher.

Warning to Inhabitants

DUSSELDORF, March 8.—Inhabitants of this city were warned in a proclamation issued by the mayor today against taking provocative attitude against allied forces occupying the town. They were asked to be dignified and quiet, to refrain from demonstrations and to keep off the streets. Women and children were especially warned to remain at home. Up to the hour when British, French and Belgian troops entered Dusseldorf the people knew nothing of the nationality of the forces to be moved into the city nor was their hour of arrival known.

The population was gloomy, but resigned to the situation.

Approve Allied Decision

LONDON, March 8.—Today's newspapers with one exception, approved of the allied decision to penalize Germany for refusing to accede to the allied plan for reparations. This exception was the Daily Lloyd George, which complained that Premier Lloyd George had "brushed aside solid German offers making for a peaceful solution of the situation."

"Mr. Lloyd George," the newspaper continued, "completely capitulated to France. The allied decision was a triumph for the French policy of revenge, and all the sinister implications it contains."

The newspaper argued there was no legal, and scant moral justification for the steps projected by the entente, and asked why the allies could not have waited a fortnight longer for the result of the upper Silesian plebiscite. It says three sequels are almost inevitable—Germany will lose the plebiscite, which will still further reduce her paying capacity, the indemnity will become worthless as an economic penalty and Marshal Foch's army will find a "convenient" occasion to take over a vast industrial region which France has long coveted."

Blockade Threatened

LONDON, March 8.—Any attempt on the part of the Germans to evade the news customs zone along the Rhine by diverting trade through Rotterdam or other ports on the North sea will be promptly countered by an allied blockade, it is declared by the Daily Mail.

President Ebert Objects

LONDON, March 8.—Protests against the decision of the allies to occupy German cities east of the Rhine were contained in a proclamation issued in Berlin today by President Ebert of Germany, says a Central News despatch from the German capital. He declared the action of the allies was contrary to the terms of the Versailles treaty.

German Ambassador Leaves

LONDON, March 8.—Dr. Sthamer, the German ambassador to Great Britain, will leave London for Berlin tonight, it was announced this afternoon. Asked whether he would return, he shrugged his shoulders and said he did not know.

The embassy here is remaining open, with the counsellor in charge.

Duisburg Awails Allies

DUISBURG, Ger., March 8. (By Associated Press).—The coming of an army of occupation across the Belgian-guarded bridge from Dusseldorf, on the other side of the Rhine is being awaited calmly. The chamber of commerce has urged the Berlin government to pay no attention to commercial interests, but to act patriotically, although the business leaders here are pessimistic over the effect of the occupation.

The combined harbors of Duisburg and Ruhrort, now one community, makes this the largest river port in the world. It handles more than 20,000,000 tons of shipping annually. It is the chief outlet for the Ruhr district and Germany's principal coal center.

Removes Hairy Growths Without Pain or Bother

(Modes of Today)

It is not necessary to use a painful process to remove hairy growths, for with a little delicate handy you can keep the skin entirely free from these beauty destroyers. To remove hair, make a stiff paste with a little powdered delectone and water. Spread this on the hairy surface and in about two minutes rub off, wash the skin and the hairs are gone. To guard against disappointment, be careful to get real delectone. Mix fresh as wanted.—Adv.



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All prepared—potatoes and everything. One can feeds three husky appetites. Far less expensive than eggs or meat. Fine during Lent.

What tastes better than Gorton's Ready-to-Fry Cod Fish Cakes?

YOU know the kind—golden-brown, plump, sizzling with aroma—the kind that "down-east" folks start every one they give them to, a-hankering for.

But, much as you and the family like them, you don't serve fish cakes often, do you? A lot of bother—that soaking and picking of the fish, the boiling and paring of the potatoes, and then the mixing and frying.

But now—at last—you can have fish cakes often as you want! Gorton's Ready-to-Fry Cod Fish Cakes banish the bother!

You can have delicious, regular Gloucester fish cakes in only the time it takes you to open a can and fry what's in it.

But besides—

They're far more economical, the waste and labor considered. A can is enough for three people. Less expensive than any meal of meat or eggs.

Try them on your family tomorrow. Ask your grocer for a supply today. They're sold everywhere.

P.S.—A Lenten suggestion: A case (24 cans) of Gorton's Ready-to-Fry Cod Fish Cakes in your pantry will save you work and expense and will delight the whole family.

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Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents—larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monocellulose of Salicylic acid.

WOMAN LEAVES \$120,000 TO ANTRIM, N. H., MAN

NASHUA, N. H., March 8.—By the filing of the will of Miss Mary Jane Emerson of Antrim, long a well-known resident of Nashua, Malcom S. French of Antrim, late of Nashua, where he was a man depending for a living on his daily earnings, becomes one of the rich men of the state.

Miss Emerson, 72, had inherited a considerable sum from her father, and about five years ago she was left an eighth of the \$200,000 of the late Charles H. Chase of this city.

By this will every cent of her property, after bills are paid, goes to Mr. French, who is an Antrim man, but has been a warm friend for 25 years. Miss Emerson resided with his family in Antrim.

Mr. French was a day laborer here when he became friendly with Miss Emerson, who was at the time living a solitary life in her home in Antrim. She spent this money in the house, and the appearance of having been abandoned, was unimpaired and unaltered. The will was never read and Miss Emerson lived in the care of the house alone.

Miss Emerson had one son, one daughter, having been a close friend of Frank Taylor, the late, 30 years ago, calling this place his home in Nashua. She furnished him a horse and carriage and they were often together in it. Then he was suddenly taken ill and died.

Soon after she became acquainted with French. When the French family moved to Antrim she went there with them, having for French the best residence in the town. She lived in the house with the family, and their care of her is now rewarded in the bequest of all of her property to Mr. French.

The will does not mention the size of the estate, but it is valued at considerably more than \$120,000. Adm'r G. Smith of Hillsboro is named as executor. The will was signed April 17, 1917, soon after she received the bequest from the Chase estate.

Almost every variety of iron ore has been found in New Zealand.

Famous Old Recipe for Cough Syrup

Especially and cheaply made at home, but it beats them all for quick results.

Thousands of housewives have found that they can save two-thirds of the money usually spent for cough preparations, by using the well-known old recipe for making cough syrup at home. It is simple and clean but it has no equal for prompt results. It takes right hold of a cough and gives immediate relief, usually stopping an ordinary cough in 24 hours or less.

Get 2½ ounces of Pinex from any drugist, pour it into a pint bottle and add plain granulated sugar syrup to make a full pint. If you prefer, use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, it tastes good, keeps perfectly, and lasts a family a long time.

It's truly astonishing how quickly it acts, penetrating through every inner passage of the throat and lungs—loosens and raises the phlegm, soothes and heals the membranes, and gradually but surely the annoying throat tickle and cough disappear. Nothing better for bronchitis, spasmodic croup, hoarseness or bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, known the world over for its healing effect on the membranes. Avoid disappointment by asking your drugist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with full directions and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

**BE SURE
AND GET
Briggs'**

BRIGGS' COUGH SYRUP

**for
COUGHS COLDS
and HOARSENESS**

**C.A. BRIGGS COMPANY
CAMBRIDGE, MASS.**

**Baby Shunned
Because of Eczema!**

John M. Schenck, 84 Main St., Lancaster, Mass.

My baby boy contracted a severe case of Eczema which covered his face and head. Various treatments were tried but my child became so irritable and so miserable that I was forced to give up. I then tried D.D.D. and in a few days the Eczema was gone. My baby is now healthy and happy. I can't say enough for D.D.D. It is a wonderful cure for Eczema. The very best for it. A bottle at once and be cured. Write to me for a free booklet and a money back guarantee. Schenck's Man-Grake Pills are worth a trial tonight. 25c per box—uncoated or sugar coated.

D.D.D. Skin Disease

HOW TWO DRUG STORES

**TOO TIRED
TO WORK?**

D.D.D. Skin Disease

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**TOO TIRED
TO WORK?**

If you get up in the morning tired, if you weary with little exertion and if you and go are lacking, depend upon it that your liver is torpid. One dose of Schenck's Man-Grake Pills will "wake up" that lazy liver and make you feel like new. Schenck's Man-Grake Pills are worth a trial tonight.

25c per box—uncoated or sugar coated.

Dr. J. H. Schenck & Son, Phila. Adv

Tom Watson, Editor First, Senator Second, Moves Paper to Capital



SENATOR TOM WATSON

(By Newspaper Enterprise)
WASHINGTON, March 8.—There's a new newspaper here in Washington—a weekly.

It's the Columbia Sentinel. Its editor is Tom Watson.

The Sentinel rightly belongs in Columbia county, Ga., but when Watson came to Washington as the new junior senator from Georgia he brought the staff of his paper with him, and announced that he'd edit and publish it between sessions of the senate.

That act gives an insight into Watson's ideas and methods. It's a live wire, full of direct current. He says what he thinks.

His newspaper has been denied use of the mails because of its vitriolic attacks. Watson went into the next county and started another paper.

He is known by everyone in Georgia, and feared by many. His speeches and political writings are vitriolic. His tongue lashings hit high and low; presidents and village politicians.

Tom Watson always has attracted attention. While some of the vigor and force that once characterized his fiery speeches are gone, he can still be depended upon to break into headlines with his picturesque language and vivid personality.

Watson spent the state last summer in a hot campaign, defeating Senator Hoke Smith, who had long been a winner in Georgia politics, and Governor Hugh Dorsey, his other opponent.

More than 20,000 persons tried to

hear him when he spoke at Macon and again at Atlanta.

Watson was born Sept. 5, 1856, in Columbia county, Georgia. He attended Mercer university in Macon for two years and then taught school. In 1878 he was admitted to the bar.

His first political service was as a member of the Georgia house of representatives in 1882-3. In 1883-4 he was in congress and, although he claimed the disunity of the following year, the certificate was given to his opponent.

While in Washington he was instrumental in getting through the first congressional appropriation for free rural mail delivery.

He was nominated for vice president by the populist convention that nominated Bryan for president at St. Louis in 1896. In 1904 he was nominated for president of the people's party, and waged an energetic campaign.

Watson has a colonial home on the outskirts of Thomson, Ga. Surrounding it is a grove of more than 100 species of trees, from those of the tropics to the Himalayan cedar, that grows ordinarily above the snow line.

He makes this grove a sanctuary for birds and squirrels. There are hundreds of both in it, so tame they eat out of his hand. Two fountains supply water for them. Food is scattered daily.

The new senator has announced that one of the first fights he will make in the senate is for a bill he will introduce monetizing Liberty bonds. This would make all bonds and thrift savings issued by the government since April 8, 1917, legal tender, and would

make them worth their face value. An alternative bill he plans would require all banks to lend 50 cents on the dollar on the basis of a 10 per cent interest. CUT LINES

SPENDING REWARD

Youth to Put \$26,000 Into Montana Farm

HEYWORTH, Ill., March 8.—"I have a place for that money. It won't go for an auto or other luxuries. I'll go to clear this to 325 acres of good farm land in Montana."

This was Paul Draper's reply to the query: "How are you going to spend the \$26,000 reward given you by the Northern Trust Co. of Chicago?"

Draper, son of the local marshal, got the reward for capturing Willie Dalton, 17-year-old bank employee who walked off with \$772,000 in Liberty bonds.

"I was awarded a land claim in Montana before the war," says Draper. "Instead of homesteading it, I enlisted. When I returned from France they told me I had lost none of my rights to the property, so I'm going to use this money to get clear title to it."

William Dennis, chauffeur, who tipped Draper the youth to whom he gave a "lift" into town was the hunted bank employee, claims he is entitled to the reward and plans suit against the bank for it.

EVERETT TRUE



WERE YOU EVER IN PARIS?

NO, SIR, I'VE NEVER BEEN THERE.

WELL, WHAT DO YOU THINK OF OUR CITY, ANYWAY?

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SETH TANNER



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Bernstorff Takes Seat In Reichstag

BERLIN, March 7.—Johan von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States, took his seat in the reichstag today as a democratic deputy for the Schleswig-Holstein district.

Asks Mayor to Bar O'Callaghan

PITTSBURGH, March 8.—The public works committee of the city council today had under consideration a resolution asking Mayor Babcock to refuse a permit to the lord mayor of Cork to speak in exposition hall. Councilman Robert Garland introduced the resolution, which says that as the building is owned by the city such a permit might embarrass the national government by giving quasi recognition.

TO MAKE CHINA A CHRISTIAN NATION

Although there was only a small attendance at the evening session of the conference of Congregational churches of Lowell held in the Eliot Union church last evening, Rev. William B. Tutill, who presided, predicted that the Christian religion is bound to win in this China even if Lowell people neglect it.

Another speaker at the conference was Rev. Cornelius H. Patton, secretary of the American board of commissioners for foreign missions. He said that as a result of the great war commercialism is no longer supreme in the world. Christian imperialism is now to have its day, he said. The whole trend of the missionary movement is toward instituting that imperialism, he asserted.

Rev. Frank M. Sheldon, D.D., secretary of the Congregational Educational and Publication society, said that the missionary work can never go on, unless the adequacy of Christianity can be demonstrated here at home. We must enlarge our concepts. We may get people into the church, but the kingdom of Christ is not within the church, it is out in the world.

Rev. Charles E. White gave an illustrated talk, showing what Congregationalism is doing in America and abroad, to make and keep America Christian and to carry Christianity to other parts of the world.

SULLIVAN MAY RUN FOR GOVERNOR

WORCESTER, March 8.—Supporter of Mayor Peter F. Sullivan last night met in the K. of C. building and discussed plans to form an organization to promote political interests. Mention of his name as a possible democratic candidate for governor caused the movement to form an organization for the purpose.

BETTY AND HER BEAU

AND IF YOU DON'T PAY ME BACK THOSE TWO BERRIES, WALDO, I'M GOING TO BAWL YOU OUT ABOUT IT IN FRONT OF YOUR GIRL OR MY NAME! AUNT BILL!

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THE CRAZY QUILT

**SNAPPY FEATURES
MOVIE THEATRES**

**NOW GET THIS GON-
THE WILLIAM, DAN MCVARNISH,
FEEDS THE HERO'S HORSE A
SHOT OF LAUGHING-GAS, GOIT
WILL LOSE THE BIG RACE, AND
GIVE THOSE WHO BET ON IT
THE HORSE LAUGH.**

**THE MOVIE TITLE 'CHATTER-PHONE' READS THE
CAPTIONS OFF TO THE KIDS AND EXPLAINS THE
PLOT, MUCH TO THE COMFORT OF PARENTS AND
EVERYBODY WITHIN EAR DISTANCE.**

EE-YOW!

THE NUT BROS. CHES & WAL-

**ALL TELL YOUR FORTUNE-LET'S
SEE YOUR PALM!**

**CROSS SECTION SHOWING HOW THE
'STICKY' MOVIE SEAT WORKS ON THE
SAP WHO KEEPS TIME WITH THE
ORCHESTRA BY TAPPING HIS FOOT ON
THE SEAT AHEAD.**

BY AHERN

GASSAWAY MILES—MOTORIST

IF THEY'RE ROLLING STRAIGHT I'M CROSS EYED

THEY SHOULD TOE IN!

TOE IN! MAN THOSE WHEELS HAVE BROKEN ARCHES!

GIVE A LOOK BOYS!

STRAIGHT AS A BOOTLEGGERS MAKING OUT HIS FIRST INCOME TAX!

GASSAWAY LINES UP THE FRONT WHEELS ON HIS SHEET IRON CHARIOT AND THE BOYS TELL HIM HOW HIS WORK LOOKS COMING HEAD ON—

BY STANLEY

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

**YOU'LL SIMPLY WANT
TO DO SOMETHING WITH
FRECKLES—HE'S BEEN
EXCEPTIONALLY NAUGHTY
TO-DAY.**

**THERE'S NO USE
SQUIRMING AROUND—
YOU'RE GOING TO GET
A GOOD SPANKING.**

**DON'T
DOD—DON'T
DON'T.**

WHACK

**STEP ON HIS
CORN, FRECKLES—
THAT'LL STOP
HIM!**

BY BLOSSER

WELCOME PEACE ON JUST BASIS

Eamonn De Valera Appeals
to Foreign Envoys in
Manifesto

Ireland Will Accept Peace
With England on Self De-
termination Basis

DUBLIN, March 8.—(By the Asso-
ciated Press).—The long-awaited man-
ifesto by Eamonn de Valera, the Irish
republican leader, was issued last evening
through the Sinn Féin publicity
department.

It is signed by de Valera and almost
all the other members of the Dail Eireann,
including Mr. Griffith and
several men now in jail.

It is issued in the form of an ad-
dress, adopted at the January meet-
ing of the Dail Eireann, to the rep-
resentatives of foreign nations.

The manifesto reviews the Irish
struggle from earliest times for inde-
pendence and recites the circumstances
ending in the declaration of the estab-
lishment of the Irish republic. "This
is a legitimate application of the prin-
ciple of national self-determination," it
declares.

"This was met by the British gov-
ernment with immediate and murder-
ous exercise of brutal force. The ter-
ror failed; the regulars could not be
relied on to carry it out. Ex-convicts
and degenerates from the trenches
could be depended upon to have few
equals in dealing with the victims, and
a special force of these hounds was ac-
cordingly embodied.

"Allured by the prospect of easy
prey and unlimited loot, with the whole
British army as a cover in the rear,
they let loose upon the unarmed and
defenseless population.

"An orgy of murder and robbery be-
gan; neither age, sex nor profession
was respected. Whole districts were
devastated and produce destroyed in
the hope of famishing the population
and these abominations continue un-
abated. English jails are filled with our
countrymen; some have been murdered,
others tortured to death.

"The manifesto declares that the
Irish people claim self-determination,
and concludes:

"We, their official spokesmen, and
their elected parliament, call upon
mankind to witness that our people
have ever been ready to welcome peace
with England that has a just basis.

"No other basis of peace is possible.
We have pledged ourselves a people,
faithful to the cause of our death. You
representatives of sister nations cannot
be insensible to the issue."

ANNUAL SMOKE TALK BY LOCAL UNIONS

The annual smoke talk under the
auspices of Local 72, Coal Teamsters,
Chauffeurs, Stabblers and Helpers
Amalgamated association, which has
been dropped, was given when the doors
of the gathering were thrown open
to the public. The affair was held in
the union's quarters in Trades and
Labor hall in Central street and was
attended by about 75 men.

The evening's program was presided
over by President Frank Harte of the
union, who called for the purpose of
letting outsiders know just how
being conducted.

The speakers were Mayor Perry D.
Thompson, Commissioner George D.
Marchand and John P. Stanton, and
Robert H. Kines of the Boston Cigar
makers' union, who represented the
Boston Cigar makers' cooperative fac-
tory, and after congratulating the organ-
ization and wishing it success, he spoke
at length on the action of the mem-
bers of the municipal council in vot-
ing against a reduction in wages for
the city employees as recommended by
a committee from the union.

The next speaker was Robert H.
Kines of the Boston Cigar makers' union,
who spoke briefly, explaining the
working of the new cigar factory
recently founded by the union's rep-
resentatives. He urged his listeners to
patronize the new firm, for he said,
by smoking the brands of cigars that
come out of the Boston Cigar makers'
Co-operative factory, you will be help-
ing along a great cause, and at the
same time obtaining the so-called
cheap cigar propaganda.

Commissioner Marchand and Mayor
Thompson spoke along the same line as the
union, giving their reasons why they voted
against a reduction in wages for the
city employees, and both stated that if
their opinion wages should not be re-
duced until a big reduction in the cost
of living is noticeable. At the close of
the evening John P. Stanton, who was
with Irish songs, was passed and
a social hour was enjoyed. The
arrangements for the smoke talk were
made by a committee headed by Tel-
ephone Cardinal, secretary-in-chief of
the union.

RIGHT LEG CALFRY
BROWLING GREEN, Ky., March 5.
James Miller's right leg was broken
when he was struck by an L. & N.
train. It was the third time the leg
had been fractured.

Dr. Howard always recommended

Oxidaze for Coughs
Colds, Br. Asthma

Years of study and observation con-
vinced him it would safely, quickly and
surely stop a bad cough and give im-
mediate relief in bronchitis, asthma, who-
oping cough, etc. It is guaranteed harm-
less. All Druggists.

Green's Drug Store, Lowell Pharmacy
and Fidelity's drug store can supply
you—adv.

PALE LIPS ARE A WARNING OF ANEMIA or THIN BLOOD Take Dr. Williams' PINK PILLS FOR PALE PEOPLE

Your own druggist sells Dr.
Williams' Pink Pills. Write to
the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co.,
Schönepot, N. Y., for free
booklet, "Building Up the Blood."

\$15,000,000 SUIT

Dedham Men Seek Damages
From Banks

Dedham, March 8.—Damages of
\$15,000,000 are sought in a suit filed in
the superior court yesterday in behalf
of George H. Willett and Edmund H.
Scars, who were partners in the firm
of Willett Scars & Co., that went
out of business in 1918. Conspiracy to
deprive the firm of its interest in sev-
eral large manufacturing companies is
charged against leading local banking
houses and individuals and the Chase
National bank of New York.

The defendants include F. S. Mos-
ley & Co., Kidder, Peabody & Co., the
members of those firms as individuals,
Daniel G. Wing, president of the First
National bank of Boston, and Robert
F. Herrick, an attorney who is de-
signed in the suit as organizer of the
syndicate that took over most of the
Willett Scars interest.

The suit alleges that the defendants
took advantage of knowledge gained
through a fiduciary relation with the
plaintiff company to force upon it
terms for a loan of \$2,000,000 that re-
sulted in the transfer of the control-
ling interest in the American Felt Shoe
company, under conditions that result-
ed in ultimate loss of its holdings. It
is contended also that the syndicate
through the workings of a secret con-
spiracy carried out a scheme by which
they gained control of nearly a score
of other companies in which Willett
Scars & Co. held stock. Although these
representations on which the plaintiff
company forgoes its holdings, it was
deprived of such as to indicate that
they were being operated at a loss, it
was set out in the suit that a net
profit of \$1,000,000 a year had been
made in the past two years on the
American Felt and Daniel Green com-
panies, and an equal amount in ag-
gregate had been made on the other
companies involved.

MEMORIAL BUILDING
Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Com-
mission Will Report Tomorrow to
Military Affairs Committee

(Special to The Sun)
STATE HOUSE, Boston, March 8.—
Legislative interest tomorrow will center
chiefly in the hearing which the
committee on military affairs is to give
to the report of the soldiers' and sail-
ors' memorial commission, which recom-
mended the erection of a memorial
building to cost nearly \$5,000,000.

Since the commission's report was
filed, two weeks ago, the memorial
commission has been working to secure
the necessary funds for the building, and
has been in frequent communication
with the committee on military affairs,
which has been recommending the
commission's plan to the legislature.

In brief, the commission recom-
mended the erection of a granite build-
ing, substantially as follows: 250 feet
wide, in this it proposes to
have an auditorium capable of seating
2,000 people; separate headquarters for
the state organizations of veterans of
the various wars; a large hall, with
large exhibits; meeting places for the
auxiliary societies of such organiza-
tions; a trophy and relic room; a war
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OFFICE-SEEKERS VISIT HARDING

WASHINGTON, March 8.—President Harding encountered today his first big patronage drive since he entered the White House. During the morning his offices were besieged by members of congress and others, most of whom are understood to have made recommendations regarding appointments.

So far the president has made few decisions except of the highest appointments. Within the next few days, however, he is expected to select a considerable number of men for various offices on various government agencies, one of the subjects to which he is giving much thought is the membership of the shipping board, but Secretary Christian said today that any talk of definite selections for the board was pure speculation.

During the morning the callers at Mr. Harding's office included Senators Lodge of Massachusetts, Wadsworth of New York, Sterling of South Dakota, and E. A. Tamm of Virginia, and others. Mr. Tamm, who is chairman of the Senate committee on the judiciary, called on the president to discuss the nomination of a new justice to the supreme court.

After leaving the White House Senator Lodge visited the state war and navy building where he conferred with Secretary Denby of the navy department and Henry P. Fletcher, under secretary of state but he refused to discuss the subject matter of his talks.

Protest Return to 10-Hour Day

They must have the present rate of time and one-half for the excess over eight hours.

Wage Cuts Announced
CHICAGO, March 8.—Wage decreases of approximately 12 1/2 per cent affecting more than 100,000 employees of the packing industry in all parts of the country were announced today. The reductions are effective on March 11.

At the same time there will be a revision of working hours; time and one-half for overtime being paid only after ten hours labor in any one day or after 54 hours in any one week. Double time will be paid for Sundays and holidays.

The new wage scale reduces the wage rate of all hourly paid employees 5 cents per hour. Piece work rates are reduced 12 1/2 per cent. At present the lowest rate paid labor is 53 cents an hour. Under the new scale this will be cut to 45 cents. The higher paid employees will be reduced proportionately. The minimum wage guaranteed

for 40 hours pay per week will be continued.

It is announced that the packers are now working out plans to establish closer relations between the workers and the management of the various plants with a view to giving the employees a voice in all matters of mutual interest. Declaring that the industry has grave problems to face in the months and years ahead the packers express the belief that the time has come when employers and employees should join in discussing and deciding the conduct of the business.

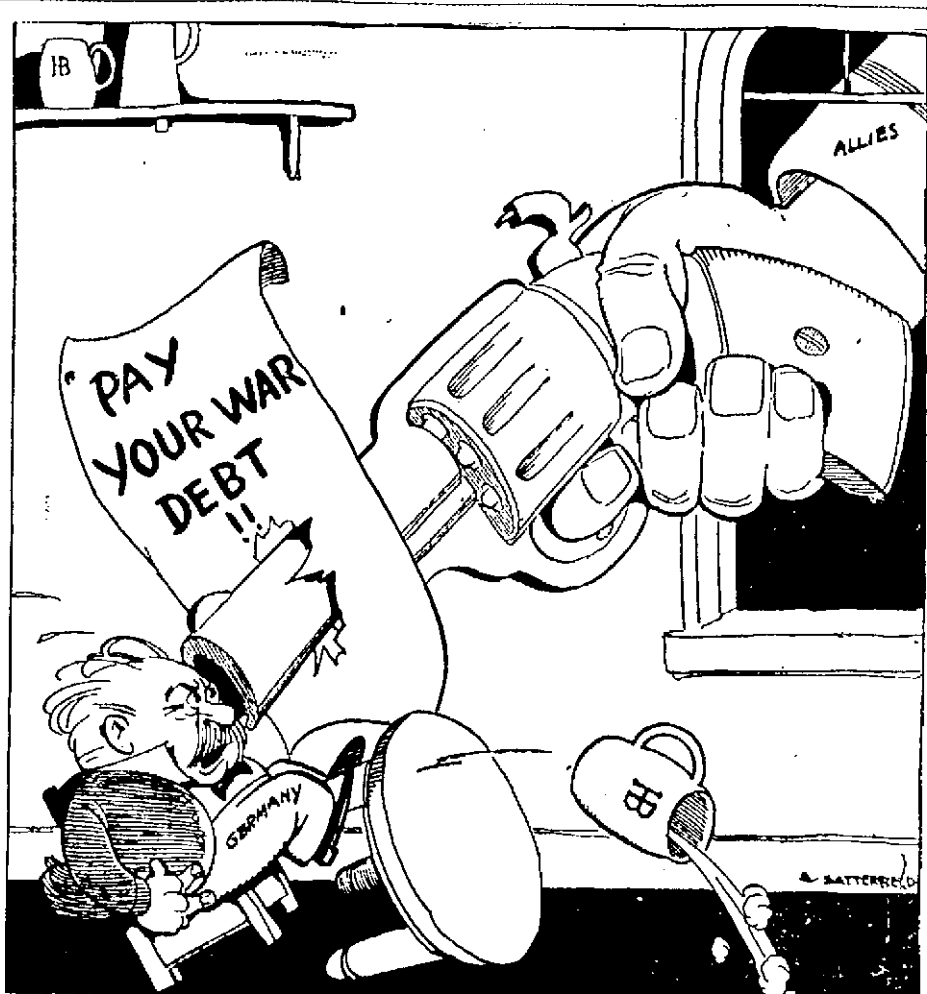
The orders for the reduction in wages follow the cancellation by the packers on Feb. 26 of the war-time arbitration agreements for the settlement of all disputes with their employees.

A meeting of the packing house employees from all parts of the country will be held in Omaha tomorrow and Thursday to consider the reductions and the abrogation of the arbitration agreements.

Choquette Sentenced
Continued
the presence of John Patenande, her brother-in-law, who lives with her, and never returned with it. She has seen him only once since the occurrence, and that was when she started proceedings against him. Her brother did not get the forty dollars, she declared.

Choquette, on the stand, related a tale which Judge Enright later implied had an aroma of falsehood. He said that he went to the telephone office several times in an effort to get in touch with the complainant's brother, but this was fruitless. Finally, he declared, he was commissioned by Mrs. French to go to Canada in search of the relative. Taking \$40 which she bestowed on him for this purpose, he set forth on his journey. Upon reaching a town near the border, he said, he was advised by an immigration official that he could not pass. So as the money was now gone he remained working in Northern Vermont. He came back to Lowell, but found unemployment the rule here, and returned to Vermont again without explaining to the complainant what had happened with reference to her money and her brother. He claimed that he had done many services for the complainant prior to his departure.

When the complainant asked him to go to Canada for her brother, said Choquette, Patenande protested that if the brother came here he (Patenande) would be put out of the house. Afterwards, however, he said, according to the defendant, to go ahead and bring the brother, that he would like to see what he looked like. The complainant, recalled to the stand, rehearsed Choquette's alleged desertion of his wife, who she said did not have anything much in the house to eat. Complainant said that she fed Mrs. Choquette. After brief argument by the defendant's counsel, Judge Enright declared it unnecessary for the complainant's attorney to plead, as he was convinced of the defendant's guilt, and only wished to consider the sentence. He then imposed a three months' sentence on Choquette.



THE COLLECTOR

DEATHS
TALBOT—Frances M. Talbot, for years a teacher in the district school of Lowell and also in Chelmsford, died yesterday in Manchester, N. H., aged 72 years and 6 months.

CARLEY—Mrs. Ellen Maria, nee Carley, a well known resident of the Sacred Heart parish, died last evening at her home, 15 Robinson court, after a short illness, aged 62 years. She was the wife of the late Daniel McCarthy, a Baptist church and was a member of the church. She was also a member of the St. Joseph's society and the St. Joseph's choir.

CLINQ-MARS—Miss Ernestine Clinq-mars died yesterday afternoon at her home, 70 Mr. Hope street. She was aged 59 years. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Alphonse Lemay and Mrs. Octavie Clinq-mars, and one brother, Hiram Clinq-mars, all of this city. She was an attendant of St. Jean Baptiste church and was a member of the Notre Dame de Bonsecours society and Notre Dame de Lourdes societies.

CELLINA—Miss Mary Cellina, an old resident of Ferry, N. H., died this morning at the home of her nephew, Michael Cellina, 134 Main street, Lowell, after a long illness, aged 82 years and 2 months and 15 days. She is survived by one brother, John, and one sister, Hannah Cellina, both of Lowell, also several nephews and nieces.

LAVIGNE—Albert, aged 5 months and 4 days, infant son of Alexandra and Marie Louise Lavigne, died today at the home of his parents, 76 Easton street.

BOISVERT—Arthur Boisvert, aged 21 years, 11 months and 24 days, died last night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Boisvert, 125 Seventh avenue. Besides his parents he leaves six brothers, Louis, Pierre, Edmond, Daniel, Francois and Paul, and seven sisters, Mrs. Napoleon Dion of Lowell, Mrs. Beaulieu Ouellette, Mrs. Arthur Boisvert, Cecile, Jeanne, Elvire and Flavie Boisvert, all of this city.

FOURNIER—Ida Fournier, aged 7 years, 8 months and 3 days, died last night at the Lowell Corporation hospital. The body was taken to the home of her parents, Joseph and Marie Fournier, 23 Shaw street by Undertaker Joseph Albert. Besides her parents she leaves four brothers, Eugene, Leon, Arthur and Armand, and three sisters, Mrs. Yvonne Lemire, Alice and Blanche Fournier, all of this city.

FUNERALS
McKEWEN—The funeral services of Wilson McKewen were held at the funeral church, 226 Westford street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Paul L. Carron, pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church. A large delegation was present, representing both the Catholic and Protestant churches. The flowers were numerous. The hearse was from the home of Donald Farrington, Earle McKewen, Clifford Blaisdell. Burial was in the family lot in Westland cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Frank B. Murphy, under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

NARVENECOS—The funeral of Peter Narvenecos took place this morning at 10 o'clock from the home of his parents, Peter and Adwiga Narvenecos, 65 Crosby street. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were under direction of Undertaker Joseph Fadovska.

FUNERAL NOTICES
DIXON—The funeral of Mr. James E. Dixon will take place Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 229 Sixth street. At 10 o'clock a solemn high mass will be celebrated by Rev. St. Michael's church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral will be under the direction of Undertakers James E. O'Donnell & Sons.

McARTHUR—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Maria McArthur will take place Thursday morning from her home, 15 Robinson court, at 10 o'clock. At the Sacred Heart church at 2 o'clock a funeral mass will be celebrated. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers O'Donnell & Fay. No cortege.

IN MEMORIAM
In loving memory of our father, Mr. Patrick P. Miller, who departed from this life March 7, 1921. Though your death was sad, dear, and you have gone so far and long, we have not forgotten you. Since they laid you in your grave, Friends may think we have forgotten. But at times they see you smile, And they know the sorrow That still lingers in the while.

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English will be started soon and another class for choral singing is also under way.

A largely attended meeting of the Educational club was held recently with President Richard Potter in the chair. At the close of the business session several reels of moving pictures were thrown on the screen, showing the various processes of cotton manufacturing from the time the ground is prepared in the south for the raising of the seed to the shipping of the finished product. This proved both interesting and instructive. The next meeting of the club will be held next month.

These various clubs were organized by C. H. Egglee of Boston, who is deeply interested in social work. Miss Katherine Gallagher is president of the women's club and she is devoting practically all of her time to the advancement of the organization. Miss Taylor, the mill nurse, is still very active in affairs pertaining to the welfare of the women's club and with Miss Gallagher she is doing considerable for the benefit of the organizations.

IN THE POLICE COURT
Man Charged With Assaulting Woman Held in \$1000
—Other Cases
Fred Bufour, charged with a serious offense, had his case again continued in the police court today. A hearing was set for March 15. Bufour is accused by Betty Martin, who alleges that on February 22 she was assaulted by the defendant. Bonds of \$1000 were furnished March 3 by Bufour's mother.

Jonas M. Swafford, arrested some time ago charged with improper conduct and sentenced to pay a fine of \$75, appeared in the police court today, having failed to pay. He told of having a motor truck and motor cycle seized on the day following his court appearance. This, he said, deprived him of a means for making more than a bare living. He has been working for \$6 a week, he said. However, he stated that he expects to go to work within a short time as a mechanic, and at a weekly wage of \$28 a week. In view of the circumstances he was granted an extension of time for payment, and will have until April 6. He said he did not go to his home in the west to work because his father, who is a clergyman, wrote to him that unemployment conditions are equally bad in the west of the country.

For Non-Support
Abraham Arlinsky was haled before the court charged with non-support. The defendant was ordered some time ago to give his wife \$12 a week, and he failed to do so. It was testified that he tried to explain to the court how it all happened, but was informed that the court had heard all that he had to say, and did not care to go into the matter again. His case was continued to March 12, to afford him an opportunity for straightening matters out, and he was released on a \$100 personal recognizance bond. The case of Joseph M. Bernier, charged with non-support, came up on a continuance set some time ago to see how he would do. As there was no complaint from his wife, the case was again continued to June 8. The case of Donald A. McPhalen, charged with disturbing the peace, was continued to March 15.

Other Offenders
Donald Lynch was fined \$10 for drunkenness charges. This is the defendant's fourth appearance. He paid \$15 fine in October, and later was given a suspended house of correction sentence. The suspension was not revoked, however, as the case presented no aggravating circumstances.

The case of Peter Sagon, charged with drunkenness and larceny, which valued at \$3, the property of Vincent Tremblay, was continued March 9.

Great Britain reduced her national debt in 1920 by \$1,235,000,000.

Harding Names Dr. Sawyer His Physician
WASHINGTON, March 8.—President Harding has definitely appointed Dr. C. E. Sawyer of Marion his personal physician and expects to nominate him in the near future for the rank of brigadier general in the army medical corps.

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FRENCH MILITARY HEADQUARTERS, MAYENNE, Germany, March 8. (By the Associated Press).—Occupation of the additional German territory which the allies had announced they would take possession of as one of the penalties for Germany's failure to meet the allied reparation demands was carried out today.

No untoward incident marked the eastward move of the allied troops as far as reports up to a late hour showed.

The occupation of the city of Duisburg, the largest of the cities taken over by the allies, was completed this morning and that of Dusseldorf and Ruhrort, comprising together the chief port of the Ruhr coal and industrial region this afternoon.

The entire movement was effected in a way to obviate so far as possible a show of force, but the French and British Rhine flotillas were prepared for eventualities.

The troops moved forward both afoot, in caissons and on board French and British river craft.

The Belgian troops entered Dusseldorf by way of the bridge over the Rhine. The French and British proceeded by way of the Cologne bridgehead, marching along the east bank of the Rhine and entering the city from the south and east.

Duisburg was occupied by French and Belgian troops while possession of Ruhrort was taken by the allied Rhine flotilla.

The headquarters of Gen. Degoutte, who as commander-in-chief of the French forces along the Rhine carried out the orders from Marshal Foch for the advance, are located at Neuss, on the east bank of the Rhine opposite Dusseldorf.

At Dusseldorf the inhabitants were warned in a proclamation by the mayor against taking a provocative attitude toward the allied forces. A proclamation to the effect that the occupation was not a measure of hostility against the population, but one intended to compel the government of Germany to carry out its obligations, was also issued.

The allied authorities were ready to aid the workers in improving their condition, especially as regarded provisioning.

Advices from the area of allied action show the Belgians and French had reached Duisburg and Ruhrort at 11.45 a. m. General Degoutte, who as commander-in-chief of the French forces along the Rhine carried out the orders from Marshal Foch for the advance, are located at Neuss, on the east bank of the Rhine opposite Dusseldorf.

The French contingent of occupation is a battalion of Chasseurs who arrived in river craft, disembarking at the Ruhrort docks.

The military experienced no difficulties with the German railroads, traffic on which moved smoothly without exception.

Entry of Dusseldorf

DUSSELDORF, March 8.—Dusseldorf, largest of the German cities to be taken over by the allies in their advance into additional German territory, was quietly entered by allied troops early today.

Many curious persons were on the street corners, despite the early hour.

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More Than 800 Chinese Believed To Have Been Drowned In Wreck

HONG KONG, March 7.—(By the Associated Press).—More than 800 Chinese are believed to have been drowned in the wreck of the steamer Hong Moh on Lamock Island, off the port of Swatow, Wangtung province, on March 3, news of which was received here today. The steamer, which is a British vessel of 3900 tons owned in Singapore, carried 1100 Chinese on her present trip and only 248 of these have been reported as rescued.

Hundreds Killed In Bombardment Of Moscow—100,000 On Strike

LONDON, Mar. 8.—(By The Associated Press).—During a recent bombardment of the workmen's quarters in Moscow from artillery placed on the hills overlooking the city says a Central News despatch from Helsingfors today, several hundred persons were killed and numbers of others wounded. More than 100,000 men and women, the despatch asserts, are now on strike in Moscow.

PROTEST RETURN TO 10-HOUR DAY

Packers Announce Wage Reductions and Longer Hours for 100,000 Employees

"Looking for a Strike and They'll Get One," Says Union Officer

CHICAGO, March 8.—A declaration that "the packers are looking for a strike and there is no doubt that they will get one if they insist on their proposal to return to the old ten hour day," was made today by Dennis Lane, secretary of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workers' union, when informed of wage reductions and longer working hours announced by the packers for their 100,000 employees.

He said that if it really was necessary for the packers to reduce wages in order to do business, the employees would be "willing to come half way in any proposition that was made in a fair and just way." He said he believed that the packers would "refuse a strike."

"We have found that they have stored vast quantities of their products, and that they could shut down for some time without any real loss," he said. "This particularly is true of hides, which are cited in the wage reduction announced."

"Packers control the leather market. They have purposely run down the price of hides and their reference to leather prices is ludicrous."

In addition to a wage conference of employees in Omaha tomorrow meetings in all cities where there are packing house branches are being arranged and a demonstration is planned here for next Sunday when 30,000 employees are expected to take part in a parade and mass meeting.

Mr. Lane said that the statement of the packers that overtime would be paid only after ten hours' work a day or 54 hours a week meant a return to the ten hour day.

"It means that the workers are subject to ten hours' work a day at the regular rate of pay and with no extra overtime pay," he said. "The men will never stand for this attempt to force them back to the old working hours."

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SOON TO NAME DAVIS' SUCCESSOR

LONDON, March 8.—John W. Davis, the retiring American ambassador to Great Britain has received a cordial letter from President Harding announcing that he will comply with Mr. Davis' request that a new ambassador be appointed as soon as possible, so Mr. Davis may return to the United States.

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GERMANY UNABLE TO USE FORCE

Pres. Ebert in Proclamation
Makes Vigorous Protest
Against Allies' Action

Declares "Right Is Being
Downtrodden By Might"—
Germany Defenseless

BERLIN, March 8. (By the Associated Press).—Friedrich Ebert, the German imperial president, declared in a proclamation issued today that Germany was not in a position to use force to oppose the forcible methods of the allies in occupying additional German territory, but that she nevertheless protested vigorously against what he declared was an open violation of the treaty of peace.

The proclamation follows: "Fellow citizens: Our opponents in the world have imposed upon us unheard-of demands, both in money and kind, impossible of fulfillment. Not only ourselves, but our children and grandchildren, would have become the work-slaves of our adversaries by our signature. We were called upon to

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FIVE KILLED IN IRISH BATTLES

Crown Forces and Sinn Fein
Detachments Clash in
Southern Ireland

Several Engagements Reported—Two Hours' Battle at Mullinohoo

DUBLIN, March 8.—Five persons were shot and killed in engagements between Crown forces and Sinn Fein detachments in southern Ireland last night. A motor lorry was ambushed near Bellinacorney, and Capt. Chabfield and two privates were wounded. Police auxiliaries engaged in an hour's fight with Sinn Fein at Mullinohoo, County Tipperary, three civilians being killed and twenty captured. One man was killed at Toome, County Cork.

A police sergeant was shot and killed at Kilmallock, County Limerick, by five men and the military forces retaliated by blowing up a store near where the attack took place.

LONDON, March 8.—Preparations are in progress for the erection of a chain of military blockhouses to indicate the new boundaries of the Ulster area. In Ireland under the new home rule act, says a Belfast despatch to the Evening Star.

The government surveys have commenced in Glenties, in North Monaghan county near the Fermanagh border, the despatch adds. Sites are being marked for a number of new stations for 20,000 thousand troops in the six county area. The stations will be two miles apart.

CHOQUETTE SENTENCED

Collinsville Man Gets Three
Months for Larceny From
Sick Woman

A three months' house of correction sentence was imposed today in the police court, on Trefle Choquette of Collinsville, charged with larceny of \$49 from Mrs. F. H. French of the same locality. He appeared and was held in bonds of \$300 for the superior court. The defendant's wife was over-come while on the witness stand, and again broke down when sentence was pronounced. All parties to the trouble are neighbors. Mrs. French, the first to take the stand, told of being very ill last October. As she feared that she was dying of heart trouble, she said, she despatched Choquette to the telegraph office to get in touch with her brother in Canada. She alleged that he returned and told her it was "all right," whereupon she gave him \$49 to send to the brother and enable him to come to Collinsville. He accepted the cash from her, she said, in

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EXTRA SESSION ON APRIL 1

Program for Tariff and Revenue Legislation To Be Laid Before Harding

Plan of Action Agreed Upon at White House Dinner Conference

WASHINGTON, March 8.—A program for tariff and revenue legislation is to be laid before President Harding by congressional leaders within a few days. Republican members of the senate finance and house ways and means committees are to meet and appoint a joint sub-committee to present formal recommendations.

This plan of action was agreed upon at the White House dinner conference last night, according to information of members of congress who attended.

President Harding was reported to be disposed to favor a new temporary tariff law to have effect for about one year pending restoration of more stable conditions and the preparation of a permanent law to replace the Underwood act.

Action of revision of internal revenue taxes during the coming special session of congress also is contemplated, congressional leaders said.

The purpose of naming a joint sub-committee of republicans representing the senate and house committees having charge of fiscal legislation is to reconcile differences now existing between members of each committee and of the two committees regarding the future fiscal program.

Several leaders are urging virtually simultaneous consideration of tariff and internal revenue revision and in view of prospective delay of the fiscal legislation, it was reported that April 4 appeared to be the more probable date for convening of the extra session.

ROACH CASE DISMISSED

Liquor Case Against Lowell Man Dismissed by Federal Authorities

It was reported this afternoon that the case of Andrew P. Roach of this city, charged with violation of the national prohibition laws, was dismissed today by the federal authorities in Boston. The charge was brought against Mr. Roach following a visit to his establishment by federal officers several months ago and although several hearings were held on the matter in December, it has hung fire since that time until the present.

WILL PUT FINISHING TOUCH TO BUDGET

The municipal council will put the finishing touch to the 1921 budget tomorrow morning, when it will meet to pass the formal order directing the assessors to raise by taxation sufficient funds to finance the various municipal departments for the current year.

The budget was completed a week ago as far as its amount is concerned, but it had to be advertised before it could be formally adopted. The required seven days have elapsed and the council will meet at 11 tomorrow, to complete its work.

There are indications that the session will not be a thoroughly harmonious affair, inasmuch as Mayor Perry D. Thompson has expressed his intention of opposing the budget in its present form. The mayor voted against several individual items when the budget was being discussed and feels that he cannot consistently approve the budget as a whole when he is opposed to certain sections of it. He feels that there is yet opportunity to make further cuts.

There will probably be a few minor changes in the budget, before final action is taken, one of them being the inclusion of an appropriation for the observance of Memorial day by the local post of the American Legion.

PLEADS GUILTY TO LARCENY IN WRITING

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 8.—Joseph Donkoski, deaf and dumb, admitted his guilt in writing at the seventh district court in East Providence yesterday when he was charged with the larceny of 1000 pounds of copper scrap from the American Electrical works. The court sentenced the man to one year in the Providence county jail.

Because the man could neither speak nor hear, court proceedings were different than it has ever been before in the East Providence court. It was necessary for the court clerk and the judge to question the man in writing, and he made his answer in the same manner.

Donkoski was charged with having taken the wire from a car that was being loaded in the yard in the plant. The watchman fired at him, but the shots did not interest Donkoski. He could not hear them and his back was turned on the watchman. He was arrested the next morning.

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TO TAKE UP RESEARCH WORK

Municipal Council Favors Trip West by City's Bacteriologist

Three More Protests Against Proposed Slaughter House Are Received

In order to bring the city's bacteriological department up to the standard of such departments in the largest cities of the country, the municipal council, at its meeting this morning, voted to authorize Mayor Perry D. Thompson to expend \$100 from the health department appropriation to help defray the expenses of Dr. James Y. Rodger, city bacteriologist, in research work in the west.

The results of this research are considered so important by health authorities that two local hospitals have expressed their willingness to contribute \$100 each to help defray Dr. Rodger's expenses, and the doctor himself will meet whatever financial obligations the trip embraces over and above \$200.

The city's bacteriological department is considered one of the mainstays of the local health department and it is felt by officials of the department, that research work such as that in which Dr. Rodger is to engage will be invaluable in its beneficial results to the community.

Three more protests against the granting of a license for the establishment of a slaughter house on the site of the former Harvard brewery were registered with the council this morning and were placed on file together with others which have previously been presented.

The opponents to the project who made their sentiments known by letter today were Mrs. Carrie M. Putnam and 18 other signers, Rev. P. E. Nordgren and 20 members of the Swedish Lutheran church, and a number of members of the First Primitive Methodist church. Their reason for objection in each case was alleged objectionable features which would result from the establishment of such a plant on the site proposed.

The session of the council was one continued on Page Five

BLAMED FOR WRECK

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 8.—Coroner Phelan in a finding today held three men gradually responsible for the trolley collision at South Shelton Feb. 22, in which ten persons were killed. Those charged with responsibility were: Milton Chaffee, trolleyman who lost his life; George Tobison, conductor, and Probate Judge S. T. Palmer, who was taking home a five gallon can of gasoline when the crash occurred. The cans of gasoline on the front platform exploded after the crash.

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Secretary Of Navy Denby To Go To Sea

WASHINGTON, Mar. 8.—Secretary Denby intends to be a "sea-going" head of the naval establishment. He announced today that he planned to go to Guantanamo, Cuba, winter base of the Atlantic fleet and return with the fleet early in April if his duties permitted. He said he intended to go to sea whenever possible and to become thoroughly familiar with the administration of the fleets.

Steamer Aground In Boston Harbor

BOSTON, March 8.—The Ocean Line steamer City of Columbia with 30 passengers and a general cargo from Savannah ran aground on Lovell's Island in the inner harbor here early today. She went on bow first in a dense fog but her stern was seen to be in deep water when the fog lifted and it was expected to float her at high tide. Five tugs were sent to the aid of the City of Columbia immediately her plight was discovered, and the crew of the Stony Beach coast guard station also offered their aid. The water in the inner harbor was fairly smooth and it was not thought that those aboard would be greatly alarmed.

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TEARS FALL AS CHAMP CLARK IS LAID AT REST

BOWLING GREEN, Mo., March 8.—Champ Clark's home folks yesterday received his body, and accorded a final tribute to his friend.

All business was suspended, schools were closed and throughout the town flags were at half-staff and buildings draped in mourning.

The body came by train from St. Louis, accompanied by a guard of honor from the local post of the American Legion, and was taken to the Pike county courthouse to lie in state until 2 p. m.

From the court house, the body was taken to the Bowling Green funeral home, where the funeral services of the Episcopal church were read at the grave by Rev. Robert S. Boyd of Kansas City, a nephew of Mrs. Clark. Then Champ Clark was laid at rest.

Many friends accompanied the body from St. Louis, the train consisting of 15 coaches. The state was represented at the funeral by Gov. Hyde and committee from both branches of the legislature, which adjourned over the day.

Mr. Clark would have been 71 years old yesterday.

Thousands of persons, many with tear-dimmed eyes, streamed through the court house and paid their last respects, those who had helped elect the legislator to congress 13 times mingling with those who fought him politically.

The appearance of the countryside folk, with their high-crowned and large-brimmed hats and baggy trousers, contrasted peculiarly with the high hats and frock coats of the prominent men who accompanied the body from Washington and St. Louis.

Four former marshes, all of whom were decorated for bravery in the world war, took posts at the bier as a guard of honor.

Automobiles of mourners streamed in from nearby towns and cities and the congestion became so great that police were compelled to direct traffic for the first time in the town's history.

The democratic leader was buried beside his father, John Hampton Clark, and two of his children, Champ and Anna, who died in infancy. There were no eulogies at the grave and the expression frequently was heard that it was a "democratic funeral," in keeping with the stalwart statesman's love of simplicity.

It was felt here that little in the way of oratory and eulogy could be added to the tribute which had been paid to his memory at the congressional services in Washington and that Mrs. Clark, weary by the long railroad journey, would desire that the local exercises be as simple as possible.

The exercises at the grave, which consisted only of prayers, were conducted by the Rev. Robert S. Boyd, a nephew of Mrs. Clark, pastor of a Kansas City Presbyterian church.

Prayers also were offered by the Rev. Ray Charles Jarman and the Rev. George C. Hitchcock, both of Bowling Green. In all the prayers were references to the late Champ Clark.

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ences to Mr. Clark's integrity and force of character.

Before the services at the grave the St. Louis committee, headed by ex-Gov. Gardner and Congressman Hayes, went to Honeybrook, the Clark home, to pay their respects to Mrs. Clark.

The court house rotunda, where the body lay in state, was massed with flowers, some of which were used at the funeral services in Washington. Among the offerings were those from President and Mrs. Harding, ex-President and Mrs. Wilson and from many United States senators and representatives and men prominent in national and Missouri politics.

Mrs. James M. Thompson, daughter of Mr. Clark, was detained in Washington by illness.

WEEKS QUESTIONED ON EDWARDS' CASE

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Asked specifically yesterday whether Brig. Gen. Clarence H. Edwards, who heads the list of brigadiers, and who commanded the 25th Division (New England National Guard in France) will be given a promotion to major general, Secretary of War Weeks said he did not know. He knew such a report had been published, but declared that was all he knew about it.

Failure of the senate to confirm promotions above the rank of major resulted in the denotation of 11 major generals to brigadier-general, 22 brigadier generals to colonels, 51 colonels to lieutenant colonels and 50 lieutenant colonels to major, yesterday.

The following major generals dropped back one grade: J. W. McAndrew, J. L. Hines, Henry T. Allen, David C. Shanks, Adelbert Cronkhite, Geo. W. Read, Omar Bundy, William M. Wright, Charles H. Muir, Charles T. Menner and William G. Haan.

Sec. Weeks asked whether he would make a new list of promotions, said he could not answer in the affirmative.

"I shall study carefully the records of all general and other officers nominated for higher rank and it does not follow that a new list will be made."

PRES. HARDING TELLS OF HIS HOBBY

WASHINGTON, March 8.—In a short talk last evening at the National Press club "Hobby Night" entertainment, President Harding declared his favorite hobby was to help the fellow who is down and out.

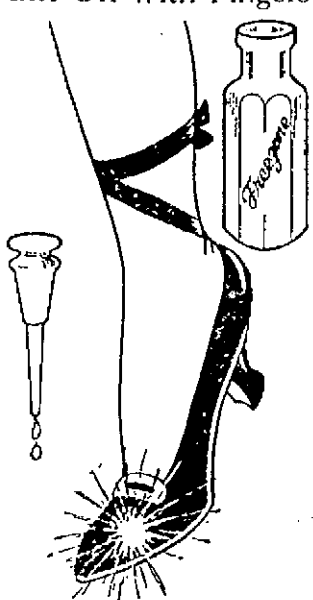
"If there is somewhere a human touch that awakens disappointment into hope," he said, "that is the finest hobby in the world. If in my new responsibilities I can, in understanding and sympathy and in stern devotion to country, find the touch that transforms the disappointments of yesterday, into the fruition of tomorrow, then I shall have practiced the dearest hobby, to me, in the world."

Mr. Harding's speech of a few sentences was made from his theatre box in acknowledgment for the entertainment at which he and Mrs. Harding were guests of honor.

In the presence of the president and Mrs. Harding were Vice-President and Mrs. Coolidge, Major-General Leonard Wood and Secretary Weeks.

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POLICE PROTECTION

Col. Foote Urges Establishment of State Constabulary Force

BOSTON, March 8.—More than 300,000 persons, as well as 400 square miles of Massachusetts soil, and property valued at nearly \$200,000,000, are without regular police protection in this state, said Col. A. E. Foote, commander of public safety, in recommending to a legislative committee yesterday favorable action on a bill to establish a state constabulary force of 140 men for duty in rural communities.

Col. Foote and Adj. Gen. Jesse F. Stevens, as a special committee appointed to investigate police protection throughout the state, submitted the bill. They reported that 17 detectives from the state police force were at present assigned to the unprotected districts and were now working on 106 cases.

Arguments in favor of the constabulary were advanced by spokesmen for a large number of citizens of communities in the western part of the state who came to Boston for today's hearing. They ranged from the utility of troops in keeping "bums and tramps" out of farmers' "hay barns" to the material assistance they would afford in handling crowds at county fairs and the protection of farmers from crop-raiding hunters who "pulled their guns" on farm hands when attempts were made to stop their pillaging.

Harry D. Hinkley of Agawam, president of the Massachusetts Farm Bureau, asserted that the rural communities were infested with "tramps and bums" who, driven from the cities, sleep in hay barns and "are the cause of a large number of fires." City folks, he said, take advantage of the farmers' helplessness to disregard the property right of their country neighbors.

LIFTS BAN ON NAVY LEAGUE

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The ban placed on the Navy League by Secretary Daniels in August, 1917, forbidding its representatives from entering naval stations or ships was lifted yesterday by Secretary Dyer. The restrictions were imposed by Secretary Daniels, as a result of friction with the league and particularly its charges that conduct of an investigation of a fatal explosion at the Mare Island navy yard was being influenced by labor circles. So strict was the ban that women throughout the country who were knitting articles for the sailors under the auspices of the league were requested to make their gifts through other agencies.

The league was formed to stimulate interest in the navy. Secretary Dyer was a speaker at the organization's annual dinner here last Saturday. Col. R. M. Thompson of New York is its president.

YAP MANDATE IS MADE PUBLIC

WASHINGTON, March 8.—(By the Associated Press)—Japan accepted the mandate for former German possessions in the Pacific north of the equator, including the island of Yap, with the reservation that Japanese citizens should not be subjected "to a discriminatory and disadvantageous treatment in other mandated territories."

This was disclosed in the complete text of the mandate granted Japan by the League of Nations, which was obtained today at the state department. The reservation stipulated by Japan was similar to one advanced by the American government in reference to Mesopotamia in its recent note to the

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League of Nations in which exception also was taken to the declaration in the preamble of the mandate that it was conferred in accordance with an agreement between "the principal allies and associated powers."

The United States has maintained that it was never a party to the agreement by which Yap was conferred upon Japan and it has also insisted upon equal commercial opportunities for all nationals in the mandated territories.

PRINCESS ANASTASIA UNDERGOES OPERATION

ATHENS, March 8.—(By the Associated Press)—Princess Anastasia, wife of Prince Christopher, underwent an operation yesterday afternoon, Dr. Geroulanos, assisted by Dr. Aldenhov, being in charge. The surgeons declared after the operation that her condition was grave and she would not be out of danger for several days.

A serious obstruction was found in the intestines and the surgeons declared another operation, not particularly serious, might be required after a few months.

Dr. Aldenhov said that if the operation had been delayed another week the illness would have terminated fatally.

12-HOUR DAY Elimination in Steel Mills Being Considered

NEW YORK, Mar. 8.—Elimination of the 12 hour day in the mills of the United States Steel Corporation is being considered by a committee of presidents of the subsidiary companies.

Chairman E. H. Gary of the corporation announced today.

While the committee has not reached a conclusion Mr. Gary said that he believed it would do so "within the comparatively near future, perhaps within 30 days or a little more."

"The seven day week and the long turn in changing shifts," he added, "have been entirely eliminated by all our companies."

WOMEN'S CLUB Middlesex Women's Club Votes to Raise Membership Fee—Purse of Gold For Junior

The Middlesex Women's club voted at its business meeting yesterday afternoon to raise its membership fee from \$3 to \$5 per year. There was little opposition to the increase, the vote being 215 in favor and nine opposed.

The action was taken after Mrs. Karl Perham, the president, pointed out that the local club was the only member of the state federation to hold meetings weekly, with the exception of the New England Women's club of Boston.

The membership fee of the latter organization is \$10, she said. The Middlesex Women's club also has a much longer season than most organizations of a similar nature and it is handicapped because of its inability to sell tickets to outsiders for special entertainments owing to lack of room.

Mrs. P. T. Stevens gave some practical information as to the finances of the organization and several others spoke in favor of the increased fee.

The resignation of George M. Stevens as janitor of the organization, after 16 years of service, was read and it was announced that Mr. Stevens had been given \$50 in gold and a life club ticket in appreciation of his services.

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TO ENFORCE DRY LAWS

Co-operation by Federal and State Governments Urged

By Maine Governor

AUGUSTA, Me., March 8.—Co-operation by the federal and state governments in the enforcement of the prohibitory liquor laws will be urged by Governor Percival P. Baxter at a conference here Thursday of the sheriffs of the state with him and with

James B. Perkins, federal enforcement director of Maine.

Special attention will be given to reported violations of the laws along the Canadian border. Gov. Baxter is said to be determined to put the fear of the law into the minds of those who are making get-rich-quick trips by the "coast" and "hatch" route.

County officials will be urged to confer and adopt the most effective means known to any or all of them to stop the alleged illicit traffic. Director Perkins will be assured that he will be backed to the hilt of the executive powers of the governor. It is understood.

It is estimated that wood decay costs the farmers of America more than \$250,000,000 annually.

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STAGE IRISH CONCERT

Entertainment by M. T. I.

Artists in Observance of
St. Patrick's Day

Music lovers of Lowell will again hail with pleasure the announcement that the Mathew Temperance Institute is to stage another of its famous Irish concerts next Sunday afternoon and evening at the Lowell Opera House. The Irish concert in observance of St. Patrick's day has become an annual feature of the institute's activities and indeed a greatly anticipated event in the life of the city in general.

This year's program will surpass all previous efforts in advance indications may be considered trustworthy barometers. Not only have the city's leading soloists been engaged for the affair, but a mixed chorus of 50 voices, expertly trained, will lend their efforts to make the affair a milestone in local entertainment circles.

The program will be devoted exclusively to Irish numbers and will embrace all the well known airs of Erin, not only the older sentimental songs, but a sprinkling of the more sprightly modern numbers as well. Following is the program in detail with the personnel of the soloists who are to take part:

Opening chorus, "Come Back to Erin," "The Harp That Once Was Sweet," "The Killarney," "The Minstrel Boy," "Chorus of 50 Voices."

Solo, "Mother Macneil," John L. Hamill. Duet, "Ireland, I Love You," Acushla Macneil.

Misses Mary and Margaret McPartland. Character song, "If They Don't Want the Irish in Ireland," Patrick Maguire.

Solo, "Every Year is a Smile in an Irishman's Eye," Miss Bertha Dion.

Solo, "Believe Me, If All Those Endearing Young Charms," Martin H. Maguire.

Character song, "Says I to Myself," Says I.

Solo, "My Irish Song of Songs," William Mahoney.

Irish melodies, "Honey Boy Four—Messrs. Maguire, Lyons, Rogers, Handley."

Solo, "The Last Rose of Summer," Miss Florence Higgins.

Reading, "Shamus O'Brien," James Coughlin.

Solo, "Athore," Miss Marion Sanderson.

Character song, "Rocky Road to Dublin," Charles J. Keyes.

Solo, "When I Was a Smiling," Edward Donahue.

Character song, "The Hat My Father Wore," Miss Mary McCarthy.

Solo, "I'll Take You Back Again, Kathleen," Joseph Kelly.

Solo, "That Old Irish Mother of Mine," John F. Lyons, Jr.

Duet, "There's a Rose That is Blooming in Ireland," Misses Allen and Bertha Dion.

Character song, "The Tipperary Over Here," Matthew A. Ryan.

Solo, "Laddy Luck o' Mine," Miss Sadie Beecham.

Character song, "What Now You Can Tell They're Irish," Ed (Tip) Handley.

Finale, "They've Won Every Nation's Battle But Their Own," Solo Sustained by Patrick Maguire.

DAYLIGHT SAVING

N. E. R. R. Schedules to Conform to Change

BOSTON, Mar. 8.—Time tables on New England railroads will largely reflect daylight savings changes in the late spring and summer if Massachusetts puts the regulation into effect again. The New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad has already announced that it will make its schedules conform to daylight saving and officials of the Boston and Maine and the Boston and Albany railroads indicated today that they also would readjust many trains.

In the case of the Boston and Maine the situation was complicated by the action of New Hampshire in deciding to stand by standard time, but without defying the law there General Passenger Agent Grant said the road would try and work out its schedules to effect the greatest convenience to the greatest number. For interstate travelers this would mean in many cases that trains would start on the equivalent of daylight savings time in places where standard time obtains, he said. Schedules are still being drawn up and will not be completed according to Mr. Grant until the conditions in Massachusetts are decided upon, and local option exercised at several New York points.

The latter consideration affects the Boston and Albany schedules also but it was said at the general offices of that road that their tentative plans were based on the assumption that Massachusetts would continue daylight savings under the schedules of last year and the road would renew virtually the same timetable system.

GOES INTO BUSINESS

School Committeeman Donnelly to Sell Real Estate

Edward J. Donnelly, member of the school committee and principal employee of the Atlantic railway company, has entered partnership with F. V. Kelly, under the name of Kelly & Donnelly, with offices in the Bradley building.

The new company will handle real estate and insurance of all kinds, representing the Commercial Life Insurance company, the Commercial Casualty company and several others equally as well known throughout the country.

Mr. Kelly comes from Lawrence and he is recognized as an expert in all pertaining to real estate and insurance. He has already established himself here and in taking Mr. Donnelly into partnership feels that he has made a step that will benefit both.

Mr. Donnelly is a line organizer and an energetic worker. He held several important offices as a member of the local carmen's union, being the Lowell representative on the joint conference board for several years. In this capacity he proved a zealous and successful officer. His recent success in politics, when he won a place on the school board, from a large and well known field, notwithstanding the fact that it was his first appearance as a candidate for public office, indicates his wide acquaintance and popularity.

His many friends wish him success in his new undertaking.

PASTOR RE-ELECTED

Rev. John Singleton Unanimous Choice of Primitive Methodist Church—Vote of Increase of Salary

The Lawrence Street P. M. church society held its annual meeting in the church vestry last evening for the purpose of choosing a pastor and trustee. Rev. John Singleton, the present pastor, was the unanimous choice of the assembly and was voted an increase in salary of \$300 a year. The second choice was Rev. C. H. Kershaw, while Rev. Joseph Holden was the third selection. Officers were also chosen as follows: Charles W. Moore, moderator; Alexander Rule, clerk; Charles F. Downey, treasurer; Clifford Grant, Robert Catherwood, Thomas Wilde, John Boullier, Edward D. Cole, trustees; John Buchanan was re-elected chairman of the finance committee. The report of the church treasury for the year of the building committee and Sunday school treasurer showed the church to be in a prosperous condition.

FOUR DAYS A WEEK

The Appleton Co., the only local textile mill that has maintained a full-time schedule since the beginning of the present industrial crisis, will be beginning this week and until further notice, operate but four days a week, notices to that effect having been posted in the mill yesterday.

THE NEW FABRICS PLUS THE NEW STYLES

The woman who sews will enjoy a visit to this store, as the new fabrics are here in refreshing display and there's inspiration for the smartest of new made-at-home wardrobes.

Organdie and the crispy Swisses lead the new mode. Gingham will again play favorite, and soft, lovely voiles in plain and printed patterns. The creamy weaves in silks, and the soft Taffetas will be most in fashion.

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The dainty French illustrated in New McCall Pattern 2117 features a new, favored tunic of uneven length and the graceful surplice waist. Other charming designs for summer fabrics are in the McCall book of fashions.

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PRINTERS STRIKE

Publication of Okmulgee, Okla., Papers Suspended

OKMULGEE, Okla., Mar. 8.—Publication of two Okmulgee newspapers, the Morning Times and the Evening Democrat was suspended today because of a strike by printers over failure to reach an agreement over new contracts for a wage scale for the year. The papers are under the same management.

DAYLIGHT SAVING

State Supervisor of Americanization Says That Daylight Saving Helps Americanization Work

Daylight saving helps maintain the evening classes for foreign-born workers in Massachusetts industries—an Americanization program in which 16,000 men and women are now enrolled—according to John J. Mahoney, State Supervisor of Americanization of the state department of education.

Mr. Mahoney says: "I am personally very much in favor of the retention of the Massachusetts Daylight Saving law. Officially I speak with considerable assurance when I say that the longer evening will help to maintain membership in the factory classes which we are operating to the number of 250,000 all over the state."

These classes meet usually in the factory at the close of the working day. It was proved, I think, last spring that the additional hour of daylight makes it possible for the adult immigrant to continue his class attendance without giving up the gardening to which he turns as soon as the planting season comes. As we are depending on the factory classes to reach a large number who do not attend the evening schools, it follows that anything tending to prolong the

SMITH-TOWNER BILL DENOUNCED

BOSTON, March 8.—The Smith-Towner bill was termed unconstitutional and declared to be an invasion of the rights of parents in the matter of educating their children by Rev. William M. Stinson, S. J., of Boston college in a talk at the Harvard improvement forum, Sarah Greenwood school centre, Dorchester, last night.

The speaker further pointed out the increased taxation that would result from its passage and the decreased efficiency in educational work. He said that many of the supporters of the bill had juggled facts and figures in their arguments to such an extent as to cloud the minds of the public in regard to the bill.

He cited instances of those who opposed the bill, including the leading educators of the country. As opposed to the measure becoming law Father Stinson named President Emeritus of Harvard, Pres. Lowell of Harvard, President Capen of Tufts, President West of Princeton, Governor Miller of New York, many senators and others conversant with the provisions of this bill and its probable effect on the educational system.

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100 CONGRESSMEN TO GO ON JUNKET

WASHINGTON, March 8.—One hundred members of the house of representatives and their wives will leave New York March 21 on the transatlantic Cristobal for Panama, assuming that special session of congress will not be called before April 4. The only expense aboard ship will be \$1.75 a day for food.

WOMAN SUFFERED IN SILENCE

Made Believe She Was Well
A woman of New Auburn, Me., writes: "There must be lots of women who feel as I did. I suffered in silence many times on account of my pride, but now I know that a good laxative is essential to good health. I pretended I was all right when I wasn't. I had terrible pains, was 'grouchy' and my headaches, almost killed me with pain, and worst of all I had a sallow, unbecoming complexion which was not helped by face powders. Why didn't I try to cure myself, rather than pretend? After taking Dr. True's Elixir, I now know that a laxative was what I needed. Dr. True's Elixir is mild and pleasant to take, and works just right for me. My complexion cleared up—bright and ruddy—blemishes vanished, and every one remarked how much better I looked." Mrs. E. J. B. (New Auburn, Me.).

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Turk Nationalist Forces in Batum

LONDON, March 8.—Turkish nationalist forces have occupied Batum, says a Reuter's despatch from Constantinople.

Recent despatches have indicated that Russian Bolshevik forces in the Caucasus region were attempting to reach Batum before the Turkish nationalists occupied the city. Batum is the chief avenue of supply for Armenia and it has been declared that if the city should be in control of the nationalists, Russian occupation of Armenia would be impossible.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

CHARLIE CHAPLIN

Charlie Chaplin has hit the high spot in his career with the picture, "The Kid," which opened engagements at four of Lowell's theatres yesterday, the Merrimack Square, Keltia, the Strand and the Rialto.

A majority of the spectators who saw the opening performance of this big production of the noted filmmaker were of the opinion that it is easily the best thing that Chaplin has yet done. In the first place, it is simply bubbles over with laughter and the situations are so human that you do not feel foolish because you are laughing. Again, it is long enough to provide an entire afternoon or evening's entertainment in itself.

Had someone told us before we saw "The Kid" that we could be convinced that the comedian could interpret the character so human as that which he portrays in his present production, we could have been inclined to doubt. But several times during the course of "The Kid" this comedian made us swallow a lump in our throat and wipe real tears of sympathy from our eyes because of the pathos of his acting. But the greater part of the production is given over to laughs—roars of laughter—such as any Chaplin picture should be.

As a comedy, the production is a winner as a dramatic production it ranks high; but the strongest appeal of these six reels of joy is the fact that they bring to the spectator the realization that Charlie Chaplin is not a clown, but one of the consummate actors on the screen today.

"The Kid" has been booked for three days at the Merrimack Square, Rialto and Strand, but will be shown during the entire week at Keltia.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

A double-feature program of rare merit opened a three days' engagement in the Merrimack Square theatre yesterday afternoon and brought forth the commendation from the large number of serious lovers who

TROUBLES ENDED

SAYS RICHARDSON

Lowell Man Restored to Health by Taking Tanlac

"For the sake of others who may be suffering from the after effects of influenza, I am glad to relate my experience with Tanlac," said Leon N. Richardson, 239 Methuen st., Lowell, a well known veteran of the world war.

"In the winter of 1918, I had a bad spell of 'flu,' which kept me in a hospital for eight weeks, and when I finally came out I was mighty badly run-down. I never wanted to eat, and what little I did eat disagreed with me. I had shooting pains in my sides and shoulders and a constant hooting in my back. I was worn-out and felt so bad I was of no use to myself or anybody else.

"But a number of my friends were taking Tanlac and bragging of it so I finally decided to try it myself. Well, sir, I have been eating like a wolf ever since I started taking it, and gaining in weight and strength until now I feel as well as I ever did in my life, and haven't an ache or a pain of any kind. Nothing is left of my troubles now but the memory of them, and Tanlac will always get a good word from me."

Tanlac is sold in Lowell by Green's Drug Store, under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative; by Wright Drug Co., Hitterica, Mass.; Knott's Pharmacy, Concord, Mass., and by the leading druggist in every town.

—Adv.

viewed it. The leading feature is "The Kid," starring the celebrated comedian, Charlie Chaplin, and giving him an opportunity to demonstrate dramatic ability as well as the comic talent for which he is famous.

The other big feature at the Merrimack Square for the first half of the week is "The Hunchback," a story of the race track, starring Violet Hopson, one of the daintiest of screen comedienne. The story, that of a young American millionaire and his love affair abroad, seeking laurels for his racing colors, where he meets the woman whose love he wins, is one that teems with strong dramatic tension, suspense and thrills. It is one of the very few that have been built on logical lines and one that does not rely solely for its claim to attention upon some hair-raising episode or virus stunt. It is a real blood story, excellently constructed, thrilling with heart interest and pulsating throughout with the element of love. The scenes are laid on the world famous course of Epsom Downs in England in addition to other parts of England and America. The cast is an excellent one, Violet Hopson, the star, appearing at her best in a role that fits her admirably. The supporting cast is entirely adequate.

A short comedy, the International News and Topics of the Day round out the bill.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Miss Juliet, a Broadway favorite, and one of the most brilliant impersonators on the American stage today, heads the bill at the B. F. Keith theatre this week. Last evening's audience honored themselves by showing due appreciation of her extraordinary talents. Nearly a score of characterizations were given by this lady, and given with a reasonableness which made one's jaw drop with admiration. During the war, this charming and brassy actress offered her services gratis for the entertainment of the army and navy men stationed in and near New York city, and at a well-remembered Sunday afternoon vaudeville at the Winter Garden, before an audience arrayed in blue and khaki, with dozens of the notables of the Great White Way. But even Monsieur Frisco himself, Frisco, who won the praise of the great and world-weary George Jean Nathan—had, as the doughboys and tars would have put it, nothing on this concentrated morsel of pure skill. Last evening, Miss Juliet gave to the life George Cohan, Madame Nazimova, Frances White, Ed. Wynne, Pat Rooney, Eva Tanguay, Ethel Barrymore, George Arliss, and a goodly assortment of other nobles of the boards. Those who have witnessed her former acts were puzzled to decide whether the joys of "Song" or the ecstasies of "Gimmie, Gimmie That" the hit with which she formerly opened her program, and which used to bestow on her hearers little squirms of delight. Make no mistake about it, Miss Juliet is one of the proudest stage figures we can boast here in the states, and the Lovellites who see her at Keltia's this week will be able to prattle of her to his grandchildren, as the old timers now tell us of the prowess of these plans of a bygone day.

But if we let ourselves loose in eulogy of Miss Juliet, what have we left to sing the marvels of Charlie Chaplin's new film, "The Kid," which shared headline honors? No, no, that empty-headed Mildred Harris found herself out of her depth with this Chaplin chap. We should describe "The Kid" briefly as a deeply philosophical production. Charlie's conception of life is there for all to see, just as D. W. Griffith's conception flourishes mushily in "Way Down East."

Billy Glavin has an ingratiating way with him, and since in the approved Cantoresque fashion. This young man, if ever anyone did, exemplifies the potency of personality. Much of the twaddle which he successfully puts across would sound, if enunciated by others, the most weary, stale, flat, and unprofitable junk imaginable. But the magical power of personality comes to his aid, and it has come to the aid of far more famous pantaloons, and makes all pleasant. Felix Adler, Eddie Cantor,

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Raymond Hitchcock and a hundred others whose names could be recited off have proved the same proposition, namely, that in vaudeville it is personality which rejoices the heart of those who wish in chuckling hour amid handclapping. Autumny Wilson has personality in large chunks.

Tom McRae and Co. are exponents of the same fact. They send the audience into hysterics by the time-worn device of having one participant in dialogue state something nonsensical of the other, and having the other repeat it as his sentiments before realizing that he is stultifying himself. This is one of the greatest exemplifications of personality, for it is a mossy trick, and yet always sets the beholders in a roar when perpetrated by a magnetic vaudeville. However, let it not be assumed that McRae and his confere have not some clever stuff. Their repartee is often droll indeed, and the baseball travesty which they unveil is no mean presentation. Mr. McRae—for we assume that the chap with the odd manner of speaking is Mr. McRae—also hath an imitation of a xylophone which is marvellously strange.

Will and Max Le Var can dance and are more or less amusing. Don Stanley and Minnette Lea vouchsafe instrumental music, and Fred and Daisy Rial exhaust their ingenuity in pantomime practical jokes. However, this pair really show some novelty. Besides, the lady has a most fascinating accent and a surprising hair of arms. She discovers a muscular development of which probably no man in the audience could produce a match. And on the lines her partner is original. The Kinogram News weekly shows views of the late Chauncey "Plunk" and some atmospheric scenes with the floats on their way to South America. The "Topics of the Day" reel was also, of course, displayed.

THE STRAND THEATRE

There are three headliners on the Strand theatre bill for the first three days of the week, "The Kid," Charlie Chaplin's latest creation; "Passion Fruit," a pleasing drama showing beautiful scenes in the Hawaiian Islands and featuring Doralinda in the title role, and last but not the least, Carmel Myers in "Beautifully Trimmed," a play that everyone will like. So attractive is this program that standing room was almost at a premium at yesterday's performance. In addition to the plays mentioned there is also an instructive and interesting series of reels, events from other parts of the world, as well as very enjoyable musical numbers supplied by Miss Elsie Robbins, the theatre organist. Of course "The Kid" is the super number on the program, but none the less enjoyable is "Passion Fruit," in which the star, Doralinda, is given a grand opportunity to reveal her talent as a great actress and singer. It unfolds the story of the daughter of a rich planter in the Hawaiian Islands, who is being courted by a third cousin, despite her efforts to drive him away from her side. In an endeavor to win his point the manager even goes so far as to murder the girl's father. Then he becomes boss of the estate, which position he holds until another young man appears on the scene. What happens after his arrival is worth the price of admission.

Carmel Myers in "Beautifully Trimmed" is seen in the role of one of the principals in a group of wilful couples, who manage to fool the newly rich to the tune of many thousands of dollars, the part being of the gang being the sale of famous paintings and stocks. Things work well for a time, but as in everything else there is an end to the crooked dealings. In the end the play is an interesting little romance.



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LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Laugh and the world laughs with you—especially if you happen to be a member of an audience that witnesses "Daddy Dimples," presented by the Lowell Players in the Opera House this week. The play is a three-act comedy drama by George B. McWhorter and Earl Carroll. There are times when the play is pure comedy and other moments when the elements that are calculated to start the eyes moistening are uppermost. The lighter of the heartiest kind predominates, but it is the kind of laughter that has a substantial background of seriousness to rest upon.

A finished picture of "Daddy" Dimples is presented by Milton Byron. A character of this sort is somewhat new to Mr. Byron's repertoire, but he makes good in a way that is pleasing and carries in the most serious scenes a real touch of pathos that strikes close to the heart.

Miss Marguerite Fields, as Florence "Daddy's" oldest ward, makes a great deal of a rather trying part. That she is delightfully charming, none who has enjoyed the manager of the plantation, a band of accomplished players can for a moment doubt. She set the measure for finished achievement in her portrayal of the "White Sister" last week and she does not recede the same heights this week because the dramatists have failed to furnish her with the material to work with. Indeed it is doubtful if in a long time she can be characterized so peculiarly fitted, to her abilities as was furnished by "The White Sister." Nevertheless she gave last night a very satisfactory performance.

Fred Woodbury gave a picture that was true to life of Dimples, the butler. He could probably have slipped from

the stage into some old English household without causing a particle of commotion or surprise.

Florence Hill surprised everybody else if she did not surprise herself by her appearance in a boy's part and as Alexander Napoleon, one of Daddy's wards, she was as "snazzy" and independent and impish as the liveliest sort of boy is supposed to be. Priscilla Knowles, as Daddy's housekeeper, was motherly and satisfied the idea of what such a character should be. The other parts were in competent hands.

RIALTO THEATRE

Record-breaking crowds were on hand at all performances at the Rialto theatre yesterday afternoon and evening when Charlie Chaplin, noted filmmaker, opened a three days' engagement in his latest vehicle, "The Kid." The best Chaplin feature yet produced was the consensus of opinion of those who saw the production. The Rialto has also booked an excellent surrounding show for the first half of the week, the opening of the celebrated serial by Edgar Rice Burroughs, "The Son of Tarzan," brought thrills to the specta-

tors. The story has to do with Jack, the son of Tarzan of the Apes, who inherits his father's love for the jungle. Through an extraordinary chain of circumstances, Jack is taken to the African wilderness and there the lord of the jungle comes to him easily. He battles with lions and great apes until there is no one in the forest greater than he. A romantic touch is given the tale when he rescues Merlem, a beautiful girl, from a half-savage Arab sheik. Later he discovers that she is a princess.

There are many number of thrilling experiences portrayed in "The Son of Tarzan" and without exaggeration it may be said that the entire production is a series of thrills from beginning to end. Gordon Griffith, plays the little role in the picture and although he is but 12 years of age he has all the ability and artistic poise of a much older performer. The supporting cast is excellent. The program at the Rialto also carries a western melodrama, "Law of the Border," a comedy and the Fox News.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

BY ALLMAN



Sporting News and Newsy Sports

VICTORY FOR GOLD BUGS EXPECT DUFFYS TO PUT UP A FAST BOUT

Defeated Hartford in Whirlwind Game, 8 to 5—To Play at Lowell Tonight

PROVIDENCE, March 8.—Although Providence won over Hartford here last night, 8 to 5, the visitors uncorked a rally near the final stage and with a quartet of registers had the Gold Bugs on the run—but the heart interposed and victory triumphantly perched upon the local standard. Hartford among other things had three or four in and out shots and though their first curtain drive did not come until the last of the second frame, the Senators played a much better and faster game than the score indicates. It was a whirlwind of a finish and the final bell was undoubtedly welcome to the visitors. The visitors' four goals in the last session were caged in less than six minutes. The score:

PROVIDENCE	HARTFORD
K. Williams, 17	17, Lewis
Thompson, 27	27, Evans
McMahon, 27	27, Harold
Lyons, 27	27, Morrison
Conley, 27	27, Huffer
Summary—Score: Providence 8	
Hartford 5	Goals: Williams 9
Lewis 1	Stops: Conley 4, Huffer
68	Goals: Williams 5, Thompson 3
Evans 4	Lewis, Fouls: Harold
Huffer	Referee: Deveron.

POLO LEAGUE STANDING	Won	Lost	Pct.
New Bedford	40	63	.39
Fall River	40	67	.37
Providence	40	68	.37
Hartford	40	69	.37
Worcester	40	70	.36
Lowell	40	71	.36

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS

Providence 8, Hartford 5.
Providence at Lowell.
Fall River at Hartford.
Worcester at New Bedford.

POLO NOTES

Kid Williams, the league's leading goal getter, will try tonight to increase his total.
Cusick and Quigley will keep their eyes on the busy kid, while Blount will also be on the alert to kick out the wicked drives of the star sharpshooter.

While centering their attention on Williams, the Lowell defense men will also have to keep close tabs on Thompson. The latter is a very dangerous driver and only a few weeks ago played a big part in defeating Lowell here. On that occasion Williams was prevented from scoring a goal, but Thompson managed to land enough in the nets to bring victory to Providence.

And while the rushers are attacking from all angles up in front, Blount also has to keep close tabs on Thompson. The latter is a very dangerous driver and only a few weeks ago played a big part in defeating Lowell here. On that occasion Williams was prevented from scoring a goal, but Thompson managed to land enough in the nets to bring victory to Providence.

Quigley who is proving a great asset to the local team in both the offensive and defensive department, is now looked upon as the fastest center in the league. He can block well, make a fast kick, and is a good team driver. He is also a good team man, and his combination work with Harbison and Davies is a treat to look upon.

LOWELL DRIVING CLUB MEETING

A special meeting of the Lowell Driving club will be held this evening at 8 o'clock, at the club's headquarters in the city street. The business of the meeting will include discussion of plans for the big fair to be held in September. It is quite a little gallop from here to September, but the club has been assured of the support of the city, and in order that no stone will be left unturned, an early start is being made. The club has been assured of hearty cooperation on all sides and the club slogan, appearing on the notice of tonight's meeting as sent out by Secretary Arnold J. Ryan, is "Let's go to it!"

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LEGIONERS TO HOLD WRESTLING CARNIVAL

The Lowell post, American legion, will present a wrestling carnival in Legion hall, Dutton street, on Friday night. Four bouts are on the card, and all look like fine mat battles.
The main attraction of the evening will be a bout between Renato Gardini, the Italian champion, who has been a sensation in Boston recently, and Ali Hassan, the Turkish wonder. Gardini only recently put up a whirlwind bout against Strangler Lewis in the club. He is recognized as one of the leading heavyweights in the country and in bringing him to Lowell the legioners have made a ten-strike.
The second number in the card is to be Jim Truokov vs. Paul Romanoff and these two give promise of a lively scrimmage. Bob Johnson of Billerica shops fame will tackle L. Chad, while the other number will be Mike Wrenn vs. Ted Apostolos.

GERMAN TEAM LEADS IN SIX DAY RACE

NEW YORK, March 8.—The German team, Walter Rutt and Willie Lorenz, led with 235 miles and four laps at the end of the 32nd hour in the spring six day bicycle race at Madison square garden. The German team, led by Rutt and Lorenz, had a lead of 100 miles and one lap made by Lawson and Root in 1915. Seven teams were a lap behind with three other teams trailing another lap back.

GOLF TOURNAMENT

Thomas F. Kelly, of the Long Meadow Golf Club, is representing Lowell at the spring golf tournament in Pinchurst, N. C., and has disposed of the round in 104.

NEW RED SOX ARRIVE

BOSTON, March 8.—A revised edition of the Boston Red Sox today had its first practice of the season at Hot Springs, Ark., where the club arrived yesterday for its spring training. According to word received here today, Herb Thormahlen and Catcher "Mud" Ruel, the battery acquired from the New York Americans in a recent trade, as well as John Collins and Harry Liebold whom the Red Sox obtained from the Chicago White Sox in exchange for Harry Hoover, will don the Red stockings for the first time today.

NEALE A "TOLDOUT"

MARIETTA, O., March 8.—With his team-mates on the Philadelphia Nationals on route to Florida, Earle "Greasy" Neale, outfielder, recently acquired by Philadelphia from the Cincinnati Reds, remained here as a hold-out. He stated that there was \$3000 difference between the salary offered him and what he wanted. He would not play professional baseball unless his demands were met. Yesterday he signed a contract to coach the Cincinnati Reds and Jefferson football team next year.

DETROIT TRAINING CAMP

DETROIT, Mich., March 8.—The training camp of the Detroit Americans in San Antonio, Tex., included 28 of the 31 players on the club's roster, according to dispatches received here. The absences are Al Smith, Leonard, Venech, Jones and Shorten. They are expected to return by tomorrow. So far Manager Cobb has put the men through only the lightest of practice following his theory that they should reach top form at the beginning of the playing season, rather than in training camp.

SEWELL BIG ATTRACTION

CLEVELAND, O., March 8.—Joe Sewell, the University of Alabama, shortstop, who was killed in the crash of the 31 players on the club's roster, according to dispatches received here. He shows up well in batting practice, meeting the ball squarely and sending many long smashes to the outfield.

HILAYES' BATTERY MEN WORKOUT

BOSTON, March 8.—Battery men of the Boston National league baseball team had their first workout of the season yesterday at the club's training camp at Galveston, Tex. With the arrival of Bill Endelman today, 14 pitchers and three catchers will be at the camp and the roster will be full.

FOOTBALL PRACTICE

BERKELEY, Calif., March 8.—Sixty men participated yesterday in the training camp football practice at the University of California.

A. F. OF L. BREAKS WITH I. F. OF TRADES UNIONS

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Notice of the severance of relations between the American Federation of Labor and the International Federation of Trades unions was despatched today to the international headquarters at Amsterdam. The action of the American Federation of Labor, taken at a meeting of the executive council here, followed the adoption by the international organization of resolutions in support of the soviet regime in Russia.



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CENTRE WINS FROM HARVARD QUINTET

CAMBRIDGE, March 8.—The Centre college basketball team defeated Harvard 41 to 35 here last night.
George Mayer, who played at center last night for the Colonels, was the star of the game, making 21 points. He shot 10 goals from the floor.
Centre's strong offense was an unworkable puzzle, although the crimson battled hard for the lead. The first half ended with the score of 23 to 12 in favor of the Colonels.
McMillin, captain of the football team that came to the stadium last fall and went back defeated by the Harvard eleven, played at right forward last night. He scored two goals from the field.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Committees Appointed at Monthly Meeting of Board of Directors

The board of directors of the Lowell chamber of commerce held its monthly meeting yesterday and transacted considerable business. On the recommendation of Secretary-Manager Wells the following committees were appointed:
Committee on streets—George Brown, chairman; L. J. Bartel, W. E. Dally, George A. Hill, Frank P. Cheney, Roy F. Lovejoy, Royal P. White, George Dana, Charles Marren and James Reilly.
Committee on education and Americanization—C. M. Weed, chairman; E. C. Hovey, E. A. Ramsey, Albert Bergeron and Mrs. E. B. Clarke.
Committee on mercantile affairs—E. J. Gilmore, chairman; Allen Fraser, Edward W. Freeman, L. Isahell McCurdy, William E. Wood and Gardner Macartney.
Committee on motor vehicle problems—Henry A. Smith, chairman; Daniel Shanahan, E. K. Kimball, Alvan Weaver and James F. Fleming.
Committee on fire protection—Fred C. Church, chairman; Arthur Spaulding, John Robinson, Tyler Stevens, Edward P. Saunders, John P. Salomon and Charles H. Garmon.

The following report showing that the membership of the chamber had not dropped any with the exception of a few members, who have died, left the city or gone out of business, was presented by the secretary, the report being based on the membership at the close of the year Jan. 31, 1921:

Total membership at close of campaign, January, 1920—1147.
Members added during the first year—66.
Total—1213.
Lost during first year, by death—6.
Lost during first year, left city or out of business—12.
Total—18.
Total Feb. 1, 1921—1195.

Of this number 1074 had paid their dues in full for the first year and 119 were delinquent in part or all of their first year's dues. Collections for the first year amounted to \$11.73 per cent of the total possible revenue.

Approximately 50 per cent of the total membership have already paid their second year's dues, the first bills having been mailed early in February.
The treasurer's and auditor's reports were read and adopted and a report dealing with sanitary and general working conditions of slaughter houses in other communities was submitted and discussed. President Chaffin was authorized to appoint a national committee to represent the chamber at the annual meeting of the United States chamber of commerce, which will be held at Atlantic City next April. The councillor will be appointed at a later date.

A communication was received from Local 135, International Association of Machinists, requesting the chamber to urge the state department congress and federal reserve board at Washington to take steps to lift the commercial blockade on trade with Russia and re-establish trade relations with that country.

TWO TRACK WALKERS KILLED ON BRIDGE

PAWTUCKET, R. I., March 8.—Two track walkers were killed on the so-called Tin bridge here today by the Colonial express. One of the men was Argur Marques, of Attleboro. The body of the other has not been identified. A third man also trapped on the bridge, Abilio Berves of Attleboro, was injured.

RETIRED ARMY OFFICER A SUICIDE

NEW YORK, March 8.—Col. Eugene E. Van C. Lucas, a retired United States army officer, was found in a West Side rooming house today with a bullet wound in his head. He died before a physician arrived. A pistol was at his side. His health had been poor recently.

NEW FIREHOUSE

The new bungalow type firehouse, which is to be erected at the junction of Pine and Stevens streets, will be completed and ready for occupancy by July 1. Commissioner John F. Salmon, head of the fire department, has been assured. Perley F. Gilbert, the architect whose design for the new building has been accepted by Commissioner Salmon and Marchand, has practically completed work on the plans and contractors will be asked to submit bids in the near future. The work will be done under two contracts, one of a general nature and the other for the plumbing and heating.

Many Rumors of Overthrow

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end of soviet rule. He feels, however, that the present movement may be premature and easily suppressed. He is positive an outbreak on an enormous scale will follow. It is his opinion that the peasant revolt eventually will win over the majority of the soviet army, with the possible exception of General Budenny and will lead to the replacement of Lenin and Trotsky by a peasant government. He believes the new regime will possibly establish a republic, but more probably some peasant leader may be proclaimed czar of Russia.

Kerensky at Kronstadt

COPENHAGEN, Mar. 8.—Alexander Kerensky, former premier of the Russian provisional government, which was overthrown by the Bolsheviks late in 1917, is said in advices received here to be at Kronstadt, the Russian fortress near Petrograd, which is reported in revolutionary hands. Kerensky, it is declared, is directing the revolutionary offensive against Petrograd, with that fortress as a base.

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To Take Up Research Work

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of protests generally for the United Leather Workers' union, No. 2, made known their opposition to any wage reduction for city employees at the present time. This protest was signed by Harry L. O'Hare, secretary of the union. It was ordered filed.

Commissioner Marchand of the public property department asked permission to borrow \$20,000 for schoolhouse purposes, but the council ordered the city clerk to advertise the loan order before action is taken.

The meeting was called at 10:07 by Mayor Thompson.

Commissioner Murphy was absent, being confined to his home with a severe cold.

John P. Brady was appointed a surveyor of lumber.

The annual report of Warren P. Riordan, city sealer, was accepted and placed on file.

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Unkicking Plant Protections

The mayor then read several protests against the granting of a license for the establishment of a slaughterhouse and stockyard on the site of the former Harvard brewery.

The first protest was signed by Mrs. Carrie M. Putnam and 15 others. The second came from Rev. P. E. Nordgren, pastor, and 20 members of the Swedish Lutheran church. They wished to protest "emphatically," according to their communication.

The third protest was from members of the First Primitive Methodist church. This protest made mention of the fact that the residents of that general section of the city had borne the disagreeable features of Hal's brook for many years. They felt that the establishment of a slaughterhouse would merely aggravate such conditions.

All three protests were filed, together with other protests of the same nature.

A petition from Wilbur Sawyer, asking for a sidewalk of cobblestones in Dracut street between White street and Fourth avenue was granted and the order adopted.

The following petitions were referred for hearings on March 20:

Peter Tyrrell, gasoline, 173 Garham st.
The Gookin Furniture Co., garage and gasoline, rear 45 Prescott st.
J. H. Sparks Co., garage, 132-134 Worthen st.

Commissioners Murphy and Marchand submitted their approval of Samuel Lavy's petition for permission to move a one-story building from 265 Hildreth street to 141 Indian street. The city clerk was instructed to advertise the petition before action is taken.

Mayor Thompson mentioned the fact that the local post of the American Legion had made a request that the council appropriate \$1115 for its observance of Memorial day in accordance with a recent legislative enactment which gives the council the power to do so. The mayor said that the

To Take Up Research Work

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matter had been investigated by the city collector and that he has ruled that the legion is entitled to receive an appropriation of this nature. No action was taken on the matter, but the appropriation will undoubtedly be made at tomorrow's meeting of the council when final action on the budget is taken.

For Research Work

The mayor asked permission of the council to expend not more than \$100 of the health department appropriation as a part defrayal of the expenses of Dr. James Y. Rodger, city bacteriologist, for a trip to Chicago, Rochester, Minn., and Cincinnati, for the purpose of conducting research work. The mayor said that the work will be of invaluable aid to the city and that two local hospitals have expressed their willingness to contribute \$100 each to cover part of the expenses of the trip. The cost will be much more than \$200 but Dr. Rodger is willing to stand the

extra cost himself owing to the knowledge which he will gain from the study. The council granted the mayor permission to expend the sum requested.

Notice of an action of tort against the city brought by Claudia Boulanger in the sum of \$500 and returnable the second Saturday in April, before the justice of the local police court was read by the mayor and it was voted to refer the matter to the law department.

An order to borrow \$20,000 for schoolhouse purposes was introduced by Commissioner Marchand and it was sent to the city clerk to be advertised before action is taken.

Just before the council adjourned Mayor Thompson, speaking on behalf of the members of the council, tendered an informal welcome to C. E. Gallagher of the Sun staff upon his return to his duties after a brief illness.

Adjourned at 10:30 to Wednesday at 11 a. m.

UNION MARKET

National Fish Day—Tomorrow

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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton.

"PLANNING A NEW ADVENTURE"



"HELLO, DEAR CHILDREN," SHE NODDED, SMILINGLY.

"We're glad to see you!" cried the twins. "That's fine! And I'm glad to see you, too, kiddies," answered the Magical Mushroom.

Nancy and Nick had discovered him a moment before, near them in the meadow, and he had told them that the circus animals had escaped.

"Now I shall go back to Fairyland," said he. "When the Fairy Queen hears that you are so sorry, she will send someone at once to hunt up the missing creatures. They ought to be practicing tricks all this time, and we can't find 'em any more soon."

"Goodbye, now, children. I must be going," and the Mushroom started to sink into the ground, like a magic burrowing its way to safety, only backwards. There was really nothing left of him but his little bowler hat, when suddenly Nick cried out, "Oh, please wait a minute, Mr. Mushroom. Won't you ask the Fairy Queen if Nancy and I may go and search, too?"

The Mushroom popped up again. In fact, he came all the way out of the ground and waved his arms excitedly. (He had arms and legs, being magical.)

"Why, my dears, I s'pose you may. But it's most unusual for children to be hunting lions and tigers."

"Please," begged both twins eagerly.

"The Mushroom ran to the hole in the ground through which he had first come. 'Then here are the Green Shoes,' he said. 'Slip 'em on and I'll take you to the Fairy Queen. She will likely send Mr. Flippety-Flap with you, as I shall have my hands full with the crazy March hares and the other creatures here who need to be looked after.'"

The children slipped on the magic shoes and in a trice were standing before the Fairy Queen.

"Hello, dear children," she nodded, smiling.

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GEN. WOOD SELECTED FOR PHILIPPINE MISSION

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood has been detailed at the request of President Harding to go to the Philippine Islands and make a study of conditions there in the light of Philippine aspirations for independence.

The mission was formally entrusted to Gen. Wood at a conference yesterday between him and the president at which Secretary Weeks of the war department also was present. It was decided that such a plan would be preferable to Mr. Harding's original plan to make the general governor of the islands.

In making the original offer of the Philippine governorship to Gen. Wood, Mr. Harding is understood to have been moved primarily by a desire to obtain full information about the details of Philippine conditions. It is believed that Gen. Wood, himself, made the suggestion that he could conduct the inquiry more effectively by retaining his rank in the army than by leaving it to accept a civil appointment as governor.

Yesterday's decision was announced by Secretary Weeks, who issued this statement at the White House after leaving the conference room.

"The president is not unmindful of the change of policy recommended by his predecessor in dealing with the Philippines. He is anxious to settle definitely our policy and has asked Gen. Wood, because of his extended experience there, to go to the islands and report conditions as he may find them. It was said that the time of Gen. Wood's departure and the length of his stay in the islands had not been fixed. He now is in command of the 6th Corps Area, with headquarters at Chicago, and the expectation is that he will begin his investigation as soon as a transfer can be arranged.

After Secretary Weeks had issued the statement making known the president's decision and had left the room, Gen. Wood remained in conference with Mr. Harding for nearly half an hour.

The general said the offer from the University of Pennsylvania to become its provost was "very tempting," but his action on the matter was "very much in the air." He added that he was starting for Philadelphia at once to confer with George Wharton Pepper, a trustee of the University of Pennsylvania.

WHERE'D HE GET 'EM

CHILLICOTHE, O., March 8.—Floyd Penrod, 11, of Athens, O., swaggered about town with a police badge and revolver. They were the property of the chief of police of Athens. Floyd said he found them. He didn't say

Germany Unable to Use Force

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seal a contract which even the work of a generation would not have sufficed to carry out.

"Our opponents in the world war imposed upon us an unheard-of demand, impossible of fulfillment, both for money and for a contract which even the work of a generation would not have sufficed to carry out."

"We must not and we cannot comply with it. Our honor and self-respect forbid it."

"With an open breach of the peace treaty of Versailles, our opponents are advancing to the occupation of more German territory."

"We, however, are not in a position to oppose force with force. We are defenseless."

"Nevertheless we can cry out, and all who still recognize the voice of righteousness may hear."

"Right is being downtrodden by might."

"The whole German people is suffering with those of our citizens who are forced to suffer foreign domination. With firm bonds must this sorrow unite us in one sentiment, one will."

"Fellow citizens, meet this foreign domination with grave dignity. Maintain an upright demeanor. Do not allow yourselves to be driven into committing ill-considered acts. Be patient and have faith."

"The imperial government will not rest until the foreign power yields before our right."

Members of the cabinet viewed the situation with a show of resignation, and declared nothing would be said or done until the effect of the entire invasion had been demonstrated practically.

Germany's coal deliveries to the allies may be affected by the present situation. Although entente troops may seize important coal shipping points, they will have to go still further into the interior of the Ruhr district in order to secure effective control of coal production.

French on East of Rhine

PARIS, March 8.—A strip of land from 3 to 10 miles deep on the eastern side of the Rhine will be occupied by French forces as a result of Germany's refusal to accept the Paris indemnity plan, says a telegram to the Journal from Mayence. Gen. Desoutte, commander in chief of French forces along the Rhine is in charge of the operation. He has headquarters at Nours, a town four miles west of Dusseldorf and on the west bank of the Rhine. The first French contingent to advance was the 7th division, which has been quartered at Bonn and is under the command of Gen. Gaucher.

Warning to Inhabitants

DUSSELDORF, March 8.—Inhabitants of this city were warned in a proclamation issued by the mayor today against taking provocative attitude against allied forces occupying the town. They were asked to be dignified and quiet, to refrain from demonstrations and to keep off the streets. Women and children were especially urged to remain at home. Up to the hour when British, French and Belgian troops entered Dusseldorf the people knew nothing of the nationality of the forces to be moved into the city nor was their hour of arrival known.

The population was gloomy, but resigned to the situation.

Approve Allied Decision

LONDON, March 8.—Today's newspapers with one exception, approved of the allied decision to penalize Germany for refusing to accede to the allied plan for reparations. This exception was the Daily News which complained that Premier Lloyd George had "brushed aside solid German offers making for a peaceful solution of the situation."

"Mr. Lloyd George," the newspaper continued "completely capitulated to France. The allied decision was a triumph for the French policy of revenge, and all the sinister implications it contains."

The newspaper argued there was no legal, and scant moral justification for the steps projected by the entente, and asked why the allies could not have waited a fortnight longer for the result of the upper Silesian plebiscite. It says three sequels are almost inevitable—Germany will lose the plebiscite, which will still further reduce her paying capacity, the indemnity will become worthless as an economic penalty and Marshal Foch's army will find a "convenient occasion to take over a vast industrial region which France has long coveted."

Blockade Threatened

LONDON, March 8.—Any attempt on the part of the Germans to evade the news customs zone along the Rhine by diverting trade through Rotterdam or other ports on the North sea will be promptly countered by an allied blockade, it is declared by the Daily Mail.

President Ebert Objects

LONDON, March 8.—Protests against the decision of the allies to occupy German cities east of the Rhine was contained in a proclamation issued in Berlin today by President Ebert of Germany, says a Central News despatch from the German capital. He declared the action of the allies was contrary to the terms of the Versailles treaty.

German Ambassador Leaves

LONDON, March 8.—Dr. Blumauer, the German ambassador to Great Britain, will leave London for Berlin tonight, it was announced this afternoon. Asked whether he would return, he shrugged his shoulders and said he did not know.

The embassy here is remaining open, with the counsellor in charge.

Duisburg Awards Allies

DUISBURG, Ger., March 8. (By Associated Press.)—The combined army of occupation across the Belgian-guarded bridge from Homberg, on the other side of the Rhine is being awaited calmly. The chamber of commerce has urged the Berlin government to pay no attention to commercial interests, but to act patriotically, although the business leaders here are pessimistic over the effect of the occupation.

The combined harbors of Duisburg and Ruhrort, now one community, makes this the largest river port in the world. It handles more than 20,000,000 tons of shipping annually. It is the chief outlet for the Ruhr district and Germany's principal coal center.

Removes Hairy Growths Without Pain or Bothers

(Modes of Today)

It is not necessary to use a painful process to remove hairy growths, for with a little delicate hand you can keep the skin entirely free from these beauty destroyers. To remove hair, make a stiff paste with a little powdered talc and water. Spread this on the hairy surface and in about two minutes rub off, wash the skin and the hairs are gone. To guard against disappointment, be careful to get real talc. Mix fresh as wanted.—Adv.



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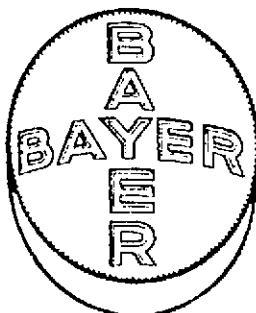
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WELCOME PEACE ON JUST BASIS

Emann De Valera Appeals
to Foreign Envoys in
Manifesto

Ireland Will Accept Peace
With England on Self De-
termination Basis

DUBLIN, March 8.—(By the Associated Press.)—The long-awaited manifesto by Emann de Valera, the Irish republican leader, was issued last evening through the Sinn Féin publicity department.

It is signed by de Valera and almost all the other members of the Dail Eireann, including Arthur Griffith and several men now in jail.

It is issued in the form of an address, adopted at the January meeting of the Dail Eireann, to the representatives of foreign nations.

The manifesto reviews the Irish struggle from earliest times for independence and recites the circumstances ending in the declaration of the establishment of the Irish republic. "This is a legitimate application of the principle of national self-determination," it declares.

"This was met by the British government with immediate and murderous exercise of brutal force. The terror failed; the republicans could not be relied on to carry it out. Ex-convicts and degenerates from the trenches could be depended upon to have fought in dealing with the victims, and a special force of these thugs was accordingly embodied.

"Allured by the prospect of easy prey and unlimited loot, with the whole British army as a cover in the rear, they let loose upon the unarmed and defenceless population.

"An orgy of murder and robbery began; neither age, sex nor profession was respected. Whole districts were devastated and produce destroyed in the hope of famishing the population and these abominations continue unabated. English jails are filled with our countrymen; some have been murdered, others tortured therein."

"The manifesto declares that the Irish people claim self-determination, and concludes:

"We have pledged ourselves and people, faithful to the cause until death. You representative of sister nations cannot be insensible to the issue."

ANNUAL SMOKE TALK BY LOCAL UNIONS

The annual smoke talk under the auspices of Local 72, Coal Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Stabblers and Helpers' Amalgamated association, which had been dropped during the war, was revived last evening, when the delegates of the organization were called for the purpose of listening to the address.

The evening's program was presided over by President Frank Horne of the union, who in his opening remarks said the gathering was called for the purpose of listening to the address.

The speakers were Mayor Perry D. Thompson, Commissioner George E. Marchand and John P. Salmon, and Robert R. Rines of the Boston Cigar-makers' union, who represented the Boston Cigar-makers Co-operative factory.

The mayor said the city employees are intelligent men who will not let themselves be cheated as they are today and not what they might be in six months. "I believe the time has not yet come for a reduction in wages," he continued, "in my opinion, the time has not yet come for a reduction in wages."

The next speaker was Robert R. Rines of the Boston Cigar-makers' union, who spoke briefly, explaining the working of the new cigar factory recently founded by the union's representatives. He urged his listeners to patronize the new firm, for he said, by smoking the brands of cigars that come out of the Boston Cigar-makers Co-operative factory, you will be helping along a good cause and at the same time combating the so-called open-shop propagandists.

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\$15,000,000 SUIT

Dedham Men Seek Damages From Banks

Dedham, March 8.—Damages of \$15,000,000 are sought in a suit filed in the superior court yesterday in behalf of George H. Willett and Edmund D. Sears, who were partners in the firm of Willett, Sears & Co., that went out of business in 1918.

The suit charges that the defendants, who are the Chase National bank of New York, the First National bank of New York, the Manufacturers Trust Co., the Chase & Co. Kidder, Peabody & Co., the members of those firms as individuals, Daniel G. Wing, president of the First National bank of Boston, and Robert F. Herlick, an attorney who is designated in the suit as organizer of the syndicate that took over most of the Willett, Sears interests.

The suit alleges that the defendants took advantage of knowledge gained through a fiduciary relation with the plaintiff company to force upon it terms for a loan of \$3,000,000 that resulted in the transfer of the controlling interest in the American Felt Shoe company, under conditions that resulted in ultimate loss of its holdings. It is contended also that the defendants through the working of a secret conspiracy carried out a scheme by which they gained control of nearly a score of other companies in which Willett, Sears & Co. held stock. Although these representations on which the plaintiff company let go its holdings, it was declared, were such as to indicate that they were being offered at a loss, it was not out in the suit that a net profit of \$1,000,000 a year had been made in the past two years on the American Felt and Daniel Green companies, and an equal amount in aggregate had been made on the other companies involved.

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CHILDREN'S NAMES

A census expert says more boys are named John and that Mary is most popular among girls. If one may judge by the preponderance of girls of that name.

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OFFICE-SEEKERS
VISIT HARDING

WASHINGTON, March 8.—President Harding encountered today his first big patronage drive since he entered the White House. During the morning his offices were besieged by members of congress and others, most of whom are understood to have made recommendations regarding appointments.

So far the president has made few decisions except of the highest appointments. Within the next few days, however, he is expected to select a considerable number of men for vacancies on various government agencies. One of the subjects to which he is giving much thought is the membership of the shipping board, but Secretary Clegg said today that any talk of definite selections for the board was pure speculation.

During the morning the callers at Mr. Harding's office included Senators Lodge of Massachusetts; Wadsworth of New York; Sterling of South Dakota; New of Indiana; Elkins of West Virginia; McCumber of North Dakota and Calder of New York; all republicans; Senator Smith, a democrat, of Illinois; and a republican, Fred D. Hill of New York, former republican chairman.

Senator Lodge's call was generally understood to concern affairs in which the foreign relations committee, of which he is chairman, is interested. He declined, however, to reveal any details of his talk with the president. Lodge visited the state, war and navy building where he conferred with Secretary Denby of the navy department and Henry P. Fletcher, under secretary of state but he refused to disclose the subject matter of his talks.

Protest Return to 10-Hour Day

Continued

They must have the present rate of time and one-half for the excess over eight hours.

Wage Cuts Announced

CHICAGO, March 8.—Wage decreases of approximately 12½ per cent affecting more than 100,000 employees of the packing industry in all parts of the country were announced today. The reductions are effective on March 11.

At the same time there will be a revision of working hours; time and one-half for overtime being paid only after ten hours labor in any one day or after 51 hours in any one week. Double time will be paid for Sundays and holidays.

The new wage scale reduces the wage rate of all hourly paid employees 8 cents per hour. Piece work rates are reduced 12½ per cent. At present the lowest rate paid labor is 53 cents an hour. Under the new scale this will be cut to 45 cents. The higher paid employees will be reduced proportionately. The minimum wage guaranteed

for 40 hours pay per week will be continued.

It is announced that the packers are now working out plans to establish closer relations between the workers and the management of the various plants with a view to giving the employees a voice in all matters of mutual interest. Declaring that the industry has grave problems to face in the months and years ahead the packers express the belief that the time has come when employees and employers should join in discussing and deciding the conduct of the business.

The orders for the reduction in wages following the cancellation by the packers on Feb. 26 of the war-time arbitration agreements for the settlement of all disputes with their employees.

A meeting of the packing house employees from all parts of the country will be held in Omaha tomorrow and Thursday to consider the reductions and the abrogation of the arbitration agreements.

Choquette Sentenced

Continued

The presence of John Patenaude, her brother-in-law, who lives with her, and never returned with it. She has seen him only once since the occurrence, and that was since she started proceedings against him. Her brother did not get the forty dollars, she declared.

Choquette, on the stand, related a tale which Judge Enright later implied had an aroma of falsehood. He said that he went to the telegraph office several times in an effort to get in touch with the complainant's brother, but this was fruitless. Finally, he declared he was commissioned by Mrs. Francis to go to Canada in search of the relative. Taking \$40 which she bestowed on him for this purpose, he set forth on his journey. Upon reaching a town near the border, he said, he was advised by an immigration official that he could not pass. So as the money was now gone he remained working in Northern Vermont. He came back to Lowell, but found unemployment at the rule and returned to Vermont again without explaining to the complainant what had happened with reference to her money and her brother. He claimed that he had done many services for the complainant prior to his departure.

When the complainant asked him to go to Canada for her brother, said Choquette, Patenaude protested that if the brother came here he (Patenaude) would be put out of the house. After wards, however, he said, according to the defendant, to go ahead and bring the brother, that he would like to see what he looked like. The complainant, recalled to the stand, rehearsed Choquette's alleged desertion of his wife, who she said did not have anything much in the house to eat. Complainant said that she fed Mrs. Choquette. After brief argument by the defendant's counsel, Judge Enright declared it unnecessary for the complainant's attorney to plead, as he was convinced of the defendant's guilt, and only wished to consider the sentence. He then imposed a three months' sentence on Choquette.

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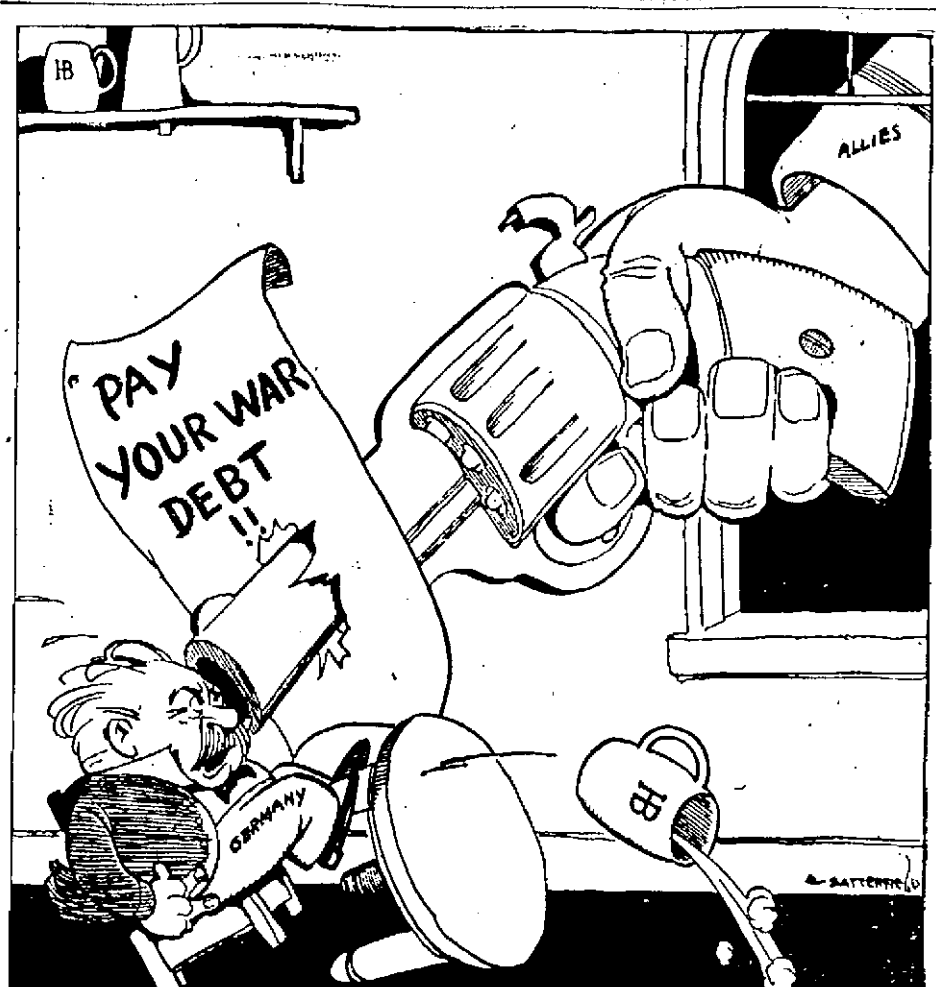
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THE COLLECTOR

DEATHS

TALBOT—Frances M. Talbot, for years a teacher in the Bartlett school of Lowell and also in Chelmsford, died yesterday in Manchester, N. H., aged 72 years and 6 months.

MCCARTHY—Mrs. Ellen Maria McCarthy, a well known resident of the Sacred Heart parish, died last evening at her home, 15 Robinson court, after a short illness, aged 69 years. She leaves her husband, Daniel McCarthy; four brothers, Patrick, Thomas, David and James Higgins, and several nieces and nephews.

CINQ-MARS—Miss Brencine Cinq-Mars died yesterday afternoon at her home, 50 Mt. Hope street. She was aged 59 years. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Albion Lemay and Miss Octavia Cinq-Mars, and one brother, Horace Cinq-Mars, all of this city. Deceased was an attendant of St. Jean Baptiste church and was a member of Notre Dame de Bonsecours society and Notre Dame de Lourdes societies.

CULLINANE—Miss Mary Cullinane, an old resident of Derry, N. H., died this morning at the home of her nephew, Michael Cullinane, 124 Methuen street, Lowell, after a long illness, aged 82 years 2 months and 16 days. She is survived by one brother, John and one sister, Hannah Cullinane, both of Lowell, also several nephews and nieces.

LAVERGNE—Albert, aged 8 months and 1 day, infant son of Alexander and Marie Louise Lavigne, died today at the home of his parents, 76 Easton street.

BOISVERT—Arthur Boisvert, aged 21 years, 11 months and 24 days, died last night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Boisvert, 128 Seventh avenue. Besides his parents he leaves six brothers, Louis, Pierre, Edouard, Daniel, Francois and Paul and seven sisters, Mrs. Napoleon Dion of Lawrence, Mrs. Raoul Queltette, Mrs. Arthur Rivard, Cecile, Jeanne, Florine and Marie Boisvert, all of this city.

FOURNIER—Jina Fournier, aged 1 year, 8 months and 3 days, died last night at the Lowell Corporation hospital. The body was taken to the home of her parents, Joseph and Marie Fournier, 23 Shaw street by Undertaker Joseph Albert. Besides her parents she leaves four brothers, Eugene, Leo, Arthur and Armand and three sisters, Mrs. Yvonne Lemire, Alice and Blanche Fournier, all of this city.

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing, Tobin's, Associate bldg., J. F. Donohoe, 222-223 Hildreth bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. McKoon and son Harold, of Richmond street, left yesterday for a few weeks' stay in St. Augustine, Florida.

Larkin T. Trull, Esq., has returned from a trip to Florida and reports a large population from the north wintering there.

William W. Dixey, for the past two years choir leader at the Paige Street Baptist church has tendered his resignation of the board of trustees. Mr. Dixey came to Lowell two years ago from the Grace church in Cambridge.

The regular monthly meeting of the Teachers' organization will be held in high school hall, Wednesday, March 2, at 4:15 p. m. Miss Mary C. Joyce of the high school will entertain with readings. A short business meeting will include election of officers.

An automobile ride followed by a luncheon was enjoyed by a group of young people of the Central M. E. church last evening. The young people, 21 in number, boarded an automobile truck at the church and went over to Pawtucket boulevard as far as Tensboro, the return trip being made via Middlesex street and the Princeton boulevard. When the party returned to the church games were played and later an appetizing lunch was served.

FUNERALS

MCKEWIN—The funeral services of Wilson McKewin were held at the funeral church, 236 Westford street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. John L. Cairns, pastor of St. Patrick's church. A large delegation was present, including Ladd and Whitney Post, 185 G. A. K. The flowers were numerous.

The bearers were Linwood Farrington, Donald Farrington, Earl McKewin and Clifford Blaisdell. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Frank R. Murphy, under the direction of Undertaker George W. Henley.

NARSENICZOS—The funeral of Peter Narseniczos took place this morning at 10 o'clock from the home of his parents, Peter and Jadwiga Narseniczos, 65 Crosby street. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were under direction of Undertaker Joseph Sadowski.

FUNERAL NOTICES

HUNN—The funeral of Mr. James F. Hunn was held at 9 o'clock from his home, 220 West Sixth street. At 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Motor cortege. The funeral will be under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MARTIN—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Maria McCarthy will take place Thursday morning from her late home, 15 Robinson court, at 9 o'clock. At the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass will be celebrated. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers O'Donnell & Fay, motor cortege.

One-third of the United States has been covered by soil surveys made by the bureau of soils.

A direct steamship line between New York and Constantinople may soon be started.

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English will be started soon and another class for choral singing is also under way.

A largely attended meeting of the Educational club was held recently with President Richard Pottor in the chair. At the close of the business session several reels of moving pictures were shown on the screen, showing the various processes of cotton manufacturing from the time the cotton is prepared in the south for the raising of the seed to the shipping of the finished product. This proved both interesting and instructive. The next meeting of the club will be held next month.

These various clubs were organized by Mr. Egglee of Boston, who is deeply interested in social work. Miss Katherine Gallagher is president of the women's club and she is devoting practically all of her time to the advancement of the organization. Miss Taylor, the mill nurse, is still very active in affairs pertaining to the welfare of the women's club and with Miss Gallagher she is doing considerable for the benefit of the organizations.

IN THE POLICE COURT

Man Charged With Assaulting Woman Held in \$1000

—Other Cases

Fred Dufour, charged with a serious offense, had his case again continued in the police court today. A hearing was set for March 15. Dufour is accused by Bertha Charlier, who alleges that on February 22 she was assaulted by the defendant. Bonds of \$1000 were furnished March 3 by Dufour's mother.

Jonas M. Swafford, arrested some time ago charged with improper conduct and sentenced to pay a fine of \$25, appeared in the police court today, having failed to pay. He told of having a motor truck and motor cycle seized on the day following his court appearance. This, he said, deprived him of a means for making more than a bare living. He has been working for \$6 a week, he said. However, he stated that he expects to go to work "within a short time" as mechanic, and at a weekly wage of \$28 a week. In view of the circumstances he was granted an extension of time for payment, and will have until April 5. He said that he could not go to his home in the west to work because his father, who is a clergyman, wrote to him that unemployment conditions are equally bad in the section of the country.

Harding Names Dr. Sawyer His Physician

WASHINGTON, March 8.—President Harding has definitely appointed Dr. C. B. Sawyer of Marion his personal physician and expects to nominate him in the near future for the rank of brigadier general in the army medical corps.

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ON THURSDAY, MARCH 10th, 1921, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M.

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